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Title of Invention: Job Analysis System
Inventors (please provide full names): Charles R. Cloningar, Jr ; Rajiv D. Pandya, M.D.
Earliest Priority Filing Date: 2 June 2000
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           E.I. No: EIP97033545169
04638379
  Title: PC-based worker -scheduling system for underground mines
  Author: Grayson, R.L.; Yuan, S.Q.
  Corporate Source: Univ of Missouri, Rolla, MO, USA
  Source: Mining Engineering (Littleton, Colorado) v 49 n 2 Feb 1997. p
83-87
  Publication Year: 1997
  CODEN: MIENAB
                 ISSN: 0026-5187
  Language: English
  Document Type: JA; (Journal Article)
                                          Treatment: G; (General Review)
  Journal Announcement: 9704W4
  Abstract: This paper uses the knowledge-base structure and system
concepts from a Sun Sparcstation-based worker -scheduling system of the
mine-management support system to develop a PC-based application. The new
software adopts the nested-window concept to facilitate data collection and
modification on \ \ personnel , including their availability and work
priorities during a shift. The system can optimally allocate manpower on
a work shift and can delineate supervisory training responsibilities. The
various components of the software, including enhancements made to the
original system, are described in detail. 4 Refs.
  Descriptors: Knowledge based systems; Coal mines; Scheduling; Data
acquisition; Personnel ; Industrial management; Personnel training;
Computer workstations; Database systems; Personal computers
Identifiers: Worker scheduling system; Mine management support system;
Worker shift; Job qualifications; Sun sparcstations; Underground mines;
Software Package Windows 95
  Classification Codes:
  723.4.1 (Expert Systems)
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912.2 (Management); 723.2 (Data Processing); 912.4 (Personnel); 722.2
(Computer Peripheral Equipment)
  723 (Computer Software); 502 (Mine & Quarry Equipment & Operations);
912 (Industrial Engineering & Management); 722 (Computer Hardware)
  72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING); 50 (MINING ENGINEERING); 91
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         E.I. No: EIP96093347767
04514577
  Title: Data base of physically demanding tasks performed by U.S. army
soldiers
  Author: Sharp, Marilyn A.; Patton, John F.; Vogel, James A.
  Corporate Source: U.S. Army Research Inst of Environmental Medicine,
Natick, MA, USA
  Conference Title: Proceedings of the 1996 40th Annual Meeting of the
Human Factors and Ergonomics Society. Part 1 (of 2)
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  E.I. Conference No.: 45349
  Source: Proceedings of the Human Factors and Ergonomics Society v 1 1996.
Human Factors and Ergonomics Society, Inc., Santa Monica, CA, USA. p
673-677
  Publication Year: 1996
  CODEN: PHFSDQ ISSN: 0163-5182
  Language: English
  Document Type: CA; (Conference Article) Treatment: A; (Applications); G
; (General Review)
  Journal Announcement: 9611W4
  Abstract: The Department of Defense spends approximately one million
dollars annually on research to enhance soldier physical performance (LTC
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K.E. Friedl, personal communication, Jan 1996). To most effectively direct this research effort, an accurate understanding of the **physical demands** of Army **jobs** is needed. The **physical demands** are available in printed form, however, there is no computerized means to quickly access and compile this information. The purpose of this paper is to describe the creation of a series of **data bases** containing the physically demanding tasks of Army occupations and to provide a preliminary summary of a selected **data base**. (Author abstract) 4 Refs.

Descriptors: Job analysis; **Database** systems; Military operations; **Personnel** training; Standards; Laws and legislation

Identifiers: US Army; Soldiers; Physical tasks; Military occupational specialties; Career management

Classification Codes:

912.4 (Personnel); 912.2 (Management); 723.3 (Database Systems); 404.1 (Military Engineering); 902.2 (Codes & Standards); 902.3 (Legal Aspects) 912 (Industrial Engineering & Management); 723 (Computer Software); 404 (Military Engineering); 902 (Engineering Graphics & Standards)

91 (ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT); 72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING); 90 (GENERAL ENGINEERING)

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03975341 E.I. No: EIP94112403260

Title: Large database study of the factors associated with work-induced fatigue

Author: Finkelman, Jay M.

Corporate Source: Kelly Temporary Services, Los Angeles, CA, USA

Source: Human Factors v 36 n 2 June 1994. p 232-243

Publication Year: 1994

CODEN: HUFAA6 ISSN: 0018-7208

Language: English

Document Type: JA; (Journal Article) Treatment: G; (General Review)

Journal Announcement: 9412W4

Abstract: A computer survey was conducted using the records of 3705 temporary employees who reported job fatigue during their assignments; 10 000 additional employees, who did not report fatigue, were also surveyed in order to establish base rates. Low job challenge, poor-quality supervision, low job control, poor job performance, and low pay rates were associated with employees 'experiencing job fatigue. Low physical demand and low information-processing demand positions were also associated with the experience of fatigue, possibly because these variables fell below minimal thresholds necessary to maintain arousal and avoid boredom. The upper portion of the arousal-performance curve was not properly evaluated in this survey. Fatigue may result from processing too much or too little information. Motivational factors probably serve to moderate this relationship. (Author abstract) Refs.

Descriptors: Human engineering; Occupational diseases; **Database** systems; **Personnel**; Job analysis; Surveys; Quality control; Performance; Motivation; Stresses

Identifiers: Work induced fatigue; Pay rates; Job control; Sleep deprivation; Job challenge; Quality of supervision

Classification Codes:

914.3.1 (Occupational Diseases)

461.4 (Human Engineering); 914.3 (Industrial Hygiene); 723.3 (Database Systems); 912.4 (Personnel); 723.2 (Data Processing)

461 (Biotechnology); 914 (Safety Engineering); 723 (Computer Software) 912 (Industrial Engineering & Management)

46 (BIOENGINEERING); 91 (ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT); 72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING)

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03782787 E.I. No: EIP94011185486

Title: Status in human strength research and application

Author: Mital, Anil; Garg, Arun; Karwowski, Waldemar; Kumar, Shrawan; Smith, James L.; Ayoub, M.M.

Corporate Source: Univ of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH, USA

Source: IIE Transactions (Institute of Industrial Engineers) v 25 n 6 Nov 1993. p 57-69

Publication Year: 1993

CODEN: IIETDM ISSN: 0740-817X

Language: English

Document Type: JA; (Journal Article) Treatment: A; (Applications); M; (Management Aspects)

Journal Announcement: 9403W1

Abstract: Measurement of human strengths provides a database to aid in the design of jobs , work places, equipment, tools, and controls. Occasionally, strength measurements are also used in worker screening procedures. In the last few years, many new developments, particularly in the area of human dynamic strengths, have taken place. This position paper discusses these recent developments in human strengths and their applications. Unresolved research and application issues are also discussed. (Author abstract) 68 Refs.

Descriptors: *Ergonomics; Behavioral research; Personnel rating; Job analysis; Database systems; Industrial applications; Human engineering; Systems engineering; Physical therapy

Identifiers: Human strength; Strength measurement; Worker screening procedure

Classification Codes:

461.4 (Human Engineering); 912.4 (Personnel); 912.2 (Management); (Database Systems); 461.5 (Human Rehabilitation Engineering)

(Biotechnology); 912 (Industrial Engineering & Management); 723 (Computer Software)

(BIOENGINEERING); 91 (ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT); 72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING)

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E.I. No: EIP93121150351 03764425

Title: COSMARD: The code system for management of JPDR decommissioning Author: Yanagihara, Satoshi

Corporate Source: Japan Atomic Energy Research Inst, Ibaraki-ken, Jpn Source: Journal of Nuclear Science and Technology v 30 n 9 Sep 1993. p 890-899

Publication Year: 1993

CODEN: JNSTAX ISSN: 0022-3131

Language: English

Document Type: JA; (Journal Article) Treatment: M; (Management Aspects) ; T; (Theoretical)

Journal Announcement: 9402W1

Abstract: The Code System for Management of JPDR Decommissioning (COSMARD) was developed for use for effective planning and management of reactor decommissioning. Efforts were made to develop; (1) data-processing algorithm using a tree structure which reflects decommissioning Work Breakdown Structure (WBS), (2) a set of commands to describe WBS and specific working conditions as input data, and (3) models to evaluate various project management data using simple mathematical formulas and unit factors. In preparing these models, dismantling work activities related to the Japan Power Demonstration Reactor (JPDR) were analyzed to find out fundamental work items and make suitable formulations for evaluating the manpower needs in both manual and remote dismantling work . Manpower needs for dismantling the JPDR components were then estimated as a sample calculation. An outline of COSMARD, its methodology and calculation models are discussed. (Author abstract) 7 Refs.

Descriptors: Decommissioning (nuclear reactors); Project management; Management information systems; Personnel; Codes (symbols); Algorithms; Database systems; Data structures; Mathematical models; Job analysis

Identifiers: Work breakdown structure (WBS); Japan power demonstration reactor (JPDR); Code system for management of JPDR decommissioning (COSMARD)

Classification Codes:

- 621.1 (Fission Reactors); 912.2 (Management); 723.2 (Data Processing); 912.4 (Personnel); 723.1 (Computer Programming); 723.3 (Database Systems)
- 621 (Nuclear Reactors); 912 (Industrial Engineering & Management); 723 (Computer Software)
- 62 (NUCLEAR TECHNOLOGY); 91 (ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT); 72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING)

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03512518 E.I. Monthly No: EIM9211-056396

Title: Integrated databases for the utility engineering environment.

Author: Armstrong, J. Keith

Corporate Source: Laurens Electric Cooperative, SC, USA

Conference Title: 36th Annual Conference on Rural Electric Power

Conference Location: New Orleans, LA, USA Conference Date: 19920503

Sponsor: IEEE Industry Applications Soc

E.I. Conference No.: 16928

Source: Papers - Rural Electric Power Conference. Publ by IEEE, IEEE Service Center, Piscataway, NJ, USA (IEEE cat n 92CH3160-9). p 5p

Publication Year: 1992

CODEN: PEPCD7 ISSN: 0734-7464 ISBN: 0-7803-0655-4

Language: English

Document Type: PA; (Conference Paper) Treatment: T; (Theoretical)

Journal Announcement: 9211

Abstract: The author proposes a linking of common database information for use by all personal-computer programs, thus requiring the maintenance of only one database. The method requires the utility to study each of its database files and the individual components of these files. Decisions must be made on the necessity of each piece of information. A study of all existing file structures must be made. After completing all of these steps it is necessary to determine the type of database manager, operating system, and network. If multiple software vendors are involved, each vendor must be contacted to determine compatibility with planned systems. If there is no programmer on <code>staff</code>, one must be hired or a <code>database</code> consultant chosen. After these preliminaries are completed and the software written, the <code>task</code> of converting the <code>database</code> can be started. This is generally a <code>manpower</code>—intensive activity, but as time proceeds, the benefits become readily apparent. 2 Refs.

Descriptors: *ELECTRIC UTILITIES--*Computer Applications; DATABASE SYSTEMS--Applications; COMPUTERS, PERSONAL--Applications; COMPUTER SOFTWARE --Applications

Identifiers: INTEGRATED DATABASES; UTILITY ENGINEERING ENVIRONMENT; DATABASE CONVERSION

Classification Codes:

706 (Electric Transmission & Distribution); 723 (Computer Software); 722 (Computer Hardware)

70 (ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING); 72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING)

20/5/7 (Item 7 from file: 8) DIALOG(R)File 8:Ei Compendex(R)

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03064797 E.I. Monthly No: EIM9105-021117

Title: Human strengths. New developments and uses.

Author: Mital, Anil; Garg, Arun; Karwowski, Waldemar; Kumar, Shrawan; Smith, James L.; Ayoub, M. M.

Corporate Source: Univ of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH, USA

Conference Title: Proceedings of the 1990 International Industrial Engineering Conference

Conference Location: San Francisco, CA, USA Conference Date: 19900520

E.I. Conference No.: 14183

Source: Proc 1990 Int Ind Eng International Industrial Engineering

Conference Proceedings. Publ by IIE, Norcross, GA, USA. p 159-164

Publication Year: 1990

CODEN: 111128 ISBN: 0-89806-112-1

Language: English

Document Type: PA; (Conference Paper) Treatment: G; (General Review); X; (Experimental)

Journal Announcement: 9105

Abstract: Measurement of human strengths provide a database to aid in the design of jobs, work places, equipment, tools, and controls. Occasionally, strength measurements are also used in worker screening procedures. In the last few years, a number of new developments, particularly in the area of human dynamic strengths, have taken place. These recent developments in human strengths and their applications are discussed. (Author abstract) 34 Refs.

Descriptors: *BIOMECHANICS; JOB ANALYSIS; PERSONNEL--Health; ERGONOMICS; DATABASE SYSTEMS

Identifiers: HUMAN STRENGTHS; WORKER SCREENING PROCEDURES; STATIC STRENGTHS; DYNAMIC STRENGTH

Classification Codes:

461 (Biotechnology); 931 (Applied Physics); 912 (Industrial Engineering & Management); 913 (Production Planning & Control); 723 (Computer Software)

46 (BIOENGINEERING); 93 (ENGINEERING PHYSICS); 91 (ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT); 72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING)

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02840552 E.I. Monthly No: EI9001005100

Title: Consideration of load asymmetry, placement restrictions, and type of lifting in a design database for industrial workers.

Author: Mital, Anil

Corporate Source: Univ of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, OH, USA Source: Journal of Safety Research v 20 n 3 Fall 1989 p 93-101

Publication Year: 1989

CODEN: JSFRAV ISSN: 0022-4375

Language: English

Document Type: JA; (Journal Article) Treatment: N;

(Numeric/Statistical); X; (Experimental)

Journal Announcement: 9001

Abstract: This paper provides a comprehensive psychophysical capacity (also called maximum acceptable weight or acceptable capacity) database for designing frequently performed industrial manual lifting tasks. The design data presented here are for male and female industrial workers working regular 8-hour shifts. The existing design databases, which are limited to sagittal lifting of symmetrical loads and were integrated in an earlier work, were expanded to include the effects of asymmetrical loads, asymmetrical lifting, and load placement in restricted spaces. The final design data tables thus are more comprehensive and realistic. Manual lifting jobs designed on the basis of these new tables, therefore, are expected to be safer and more productive. (Author abstract) 19 Refs.

Descriptors: *HUMAN ENGINEERING--*Psychophysiology: DATABASE SYSTEMS:

Descriptors: *HUMAN ENGINEERING--*Psychophysiology; DATABASE SYSTEMS; MATERIALS HANDLING--Safe Handling

Identifiers: LOAD ASYMMETRY; PLACEMENT RESTRICTIONS; COMPREHENSIVE PSYCHOPHYSICAL CAPACITY; MANUAL LIFTING TASKS; SAGITTAL LIFTING Classification Codes:

461 (Biotechnology); 723 (Computer Software); 691 (Bulk Materials Handling); 914 (Safety Engineering)

46 (BIOENGINEERING); 72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING); 69 (MATERIALS HANDLING); 91 (ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT)

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02133190 E.I. Monthly No: EIM8611-080268

Title: JOINT APPLICATIONS SEMINAR: A NEW DIRECTION FOR TRAINING.

Author: Gordon, Dena W.

Corporate Source: Data Courier Inc, USA

Conference Title: 8th International Online Information Meeting. Conference Location: London, Engl Conference Date: 19841204

Sponsor: Learned Information (Europe) Ltd, Oxford, Engl

E.I. Conference No.: 07453

Source: International Online Information Meeting 8th. Publ by Learned Information (Europe) Ltd, Oxford, Engl and Medford, NJ, USA p 511-517

Publication Year: 1984

CODEN: IOIMDT ISBN: 0-904933-47-4

Language: English

Document Type: PA; (Conference Paper)

Journal Announcement: 8611

Abstract: In the spring of 1984, Data Courier, Disclosure and Predicasts began to offer a series of free applications-specific seminars. The seminars were held in five major US cities, with each session divided into four main sections: 1. an introduction by each database representative, 2. shared presentations by the representatives on each of the files, 3. a featured speaker, and 4. a question-and-answer period. Each participant received a 123-page workbook which included a comprehensive set of reference materials. Online searchers and end users responded enthusiastically to the seminars; for the first session, registration was five times that anticipated. The seminar format since has been refined, and additional seminars have been scheduled in other U. S. cities, plus London and Toronto. Based on evaluation forms filled out by joint seminar attendees, an analysis is provided of 11 different aspects of the seminars, including the participants' job titles and search frequency. (Author abstract)

Descriptors: INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEMS--* Personnel Training; DATABASE SYSTEMS-- Personnel Training

Identifiers: BUSINESS DATABASES; DATA COURIER; ONLINE INFORMATION INDUSTRY

Classification Codes:

903 (Information Science); 723 (Computer Software); 912 (Industrial Engineering & Management)

90 (GENERAL ENGINEERING); 72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING); 91 (ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT)

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02080166 E.I. Monthly No: EIM8603-017615

Title: PRACTICAL AND EFFECTIVE MINE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.

Author: Alport, P. C.

Corporate Source: Iron Ore Co of Canada, Labrador, Newfoundl, Can Conference Title: Maintenance - The Hub of a Productive Wheel, Fourth CIM

Mechanical/Electrical Plant Engineering and Maintenance Conference.

Conference Location: Saskatoon, Sask, Can Conference Date: 19840923

Sponsor: CIM, Saskatoon Section, Saskatoon, Sask, Can

E.I. Conference No.: 07717

Source: Publ by CIM, Montreal, Que, Can p 378-382

Publication Year: 1984 ISBN: 0-919086-08-X Language: English

Document Type: PA; (Conference Paper)

Journal Announcement: 8603

Abstract: Industrial survival to-day demands improved productivity and strict operational control. The Iron Ore Company of Canada has implemented a Mine Management System aimed at the identification and correction of lost time problems. Individual jobs are planned with specific details and durations for both foreman and **employee**. Structured report formats and

mandatory confrontation assure accountability and awareness at all levels, and provide a **data base** for the determination of **job** estimates, efficiencies, and future **manpower** requirements. The use of a microcomputer provides management with fast and reliable budgetary information. (Author abstract)

Descriptors: *MINES AND MINING--*Management; PRODUCTIVITY; SCHEDULING; COMPUTERS, MICROCOMPUTER--Applications

Identifiers: ACCOUNTABILITY; MINE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM; FOLLOW-UP ACTIVITIES; REPORTING; MANPOWER REQUIREMENTS

Classification Codes:

502 (Mine & Quarry Equipment & Operations); 912 (Industrial Engineering & Management); 723 (Computer Software)

50 (MINING ENGINEERING); 91 (ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT); 72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING)

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02022145 E.I. Monthly No: E18609086004 E.I. Yearly No: E186070290 Title: COMPREHENSIVE DATA BASE FOR THE DESIGN OF MANUAL MATERIALS HANDLING.

Author: Bienkowski, T. L.; Asfour, S. S.; Waly, S. M.; Genaidy, A. M. Corporate Source: Univ of Miami, Coral Gables, FL, USA

Source: Computers & Industrial Engineering v 11 n 1-4 1986, Proc of the 8th Annu Conf on Comput and Ind Eng, Orlando, FL, USA, Mar 19-21 1986 p 351-354

Publication Year: 1986

CODEN: CINDDL ISSN: 0360-8352

Language: ENGLISH

Document Type: JA; (Journal Article) Treatment: A; (Applications); M; (Management Aspects)

Journal Announcement: 8609

Abstract: The present paper provides a comprehensive data base of the material handling capabilities of the industrial work force. The data base encompasses the following: (1) five different types of manual materials handling activities, namely, lifting, lowering, carrying, pushing, and pulling, (2) worker variables (e. g., sex), and (3) task variables (e. g., frequency, and container size). The data base was developed for the IBM personal computer using the software package DBASE III PLUS. (Edited author abstract) Refs.

Descriptors: MATERIALS HANDLING--*Computer Aided Design; JOB ANALYSIS; PERSONNEL --Rating; DATABASE SYSTEMS

Identifiers: INDUSTRIAL WORK FORCE; JOB DESIGN; BACK INJURIES Classification Codes:

691 (Bulk Materials Handling); 723 (Computer Software); 912 (Industrial Engineering & Management); 913 (Production Planning & Control) 69 (MATERIALS HANDLING); 72 (COMPUTERS & DATA PROCESSING); 91 (ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT)

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01725971 E.I. Monthly No: EI8501003896 E.I. Yearly No: EI85055775

Title: MAXIMUM WEIGHTS OF LIFT ACCEPTABLE TO MALE AND FEMALE INDUSTRIAL WORKERS FOR EXTENDED WORK SHIFTS.

Author: Mital, Anil

Corporate Source: Univ of Cincinnati, Dep of Mechanical & Industrial Engineering, Cincinnati, OH, USA

Source: Ergonomics v 27 n 11 Nov 1984 p 1115-1126

Publication Year: 1984

CODEN: ERGOAX ISSN: 0014-0139

Language: ENGLISH

Document Type: JA; (Journal Article) Treatment: M; (Management Aspects); X; (Experimental)

Journal Announcement: 8501

Abstract: This paper reports the development of maximum acceptable weight of lift databases for male and female industrial workers for 12-hour work periods. Using a psychophysical methodology, 37 males and 37 females, experienced in manual lifting, performed various lifting tasks involving four frequencies, three box sizes, and three height levels. The maximum acceptable weight of lift was significantly influenced by the frequency of lift, height of lift, and box size. Box size effects were, however, less profound than frequency and height effects. The maximum weight, acceptable for 12 hours of lifting, elicited an average heart rate of 90 and 101 beats min** MINUS **1 for males and females, respectively. Males selected weights that, on average, resulted in metabolic energy expenditure rates of 23% of their aerobic capacity for 12 hours of lifting. Females required metabolic energy expenditure rates equivalent to 24% of their aerobic capacity for lifting acceptable levels of weight for 12 hours. 21 refs.

Descriptors: INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE--*Research; MATERIALS HANDLING-Personnel; PERSONNEL --Ability Testing; JOB ANALYSIS--Applications; HUMAN
ENGINEERING--Behavioral Research

Identifiers: FREQUENCY OF LIFT; HEIGHT OF LIFT; BOX SIZE; 12-HOUR SHIFTS; METABOLIC ENERGY EXPENDITURE RATES

Classification Codes:

914 (Safety Engineering); 691 (Bulk Materials Handling); 912 (Industrial Engineering & Management); 461 (Biotechnology); 913 (Production Planning & Control)

91 (ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT); 69 (MATERIALS HANDLING); 46 (BIOENGINEERING)

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The relationship between national culture and foreign service managerial job requirements

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Descriptors: BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, MANAGEMENT

Descriptor Codes: 0454 ISBN: 0-599-78382-6

This study examined the relationship between the culture of a country of assignment and expatriate managerial job requirements. Specifically, the study investigated the relationship between host country cultural values and managerial job requirements for skills. The study also investigated the relationship between host country cultural values and managerial job requirements for level and frequency of work activities. A database of jobs held by employees of the U.S. Department of State was used for the research. The database contained position skill and work activity information that had been collected from job incumbents using the O*NET job analysis framework (Lammlein & Mumford, 1998). Two hundred fifty five overseas managerial jobs were extracted from the database and mean expatriate managerial job requirements for skills and work activities were calculated for 25 countries. These mean job requirements were correlated with Hofstede's (1980) measures of the cultural values of power distance, individualism, cultural masculinity, and uncertainty avoidance. Individualism was found to be positively associated with expatriate job demands for level of organizational skills. This suggests that variations along the cultural dimension of individualism are likely to require the most adaptation by American managers. The results of this study must be interpreted with caution, however. It was concluded that the generic O*NET skill and work activity descriptors used in the study lacked the precision

needed to capture the relationship between culture and expatriate managerial job requirements. These descriptors are broad in scope and often combine more than one construct (such as judgement and decision making). The most important aspects of the relationship between national cultures and expatriate managerial job requirements may be in the area of behavioral styles, which are not measured by the O*NET skill and activity items. Recommendations for further research are included. The bibliography contains 202 references.

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AN INVESTIGATION OF CAREER PATTERNS OF TRANSITION-AGE YOUTHS AND OLDER WORKERS

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Descriptors: EDUCATION, SPECIAL; EDUCATION, VOCATIONAL; SOCIOLOGY,

INDIVIDUAL AND FAMILY STUDIES

Descriptor Codes: 0529; 0747; 0628

Persons with disabilities separate from employment positions for a variety of different reasons. The conditions and reasons for these separations have been the subject of a number of investigations in an effort to understand and improve job tenure. Early studies tended to frame this research in terms of deficits and situations created by the employee that led to his or her being terminated. Later studies took a more balanced view of separations by including reasons beyond the employee 's control (for example, transportation problems or moving) and positive reasons, such as promotions or finding a better job. None of these studies, however, framed their research with regard to theoretical contributions made from work done in career development, occupational choice, or work adjustment.

The purpose of this investigation was to examine the career development of persons with disabilities that are revealed by patterns of job separations. These patterns were compared to what is known about career development for persons without disabilities in terms of Super's life-span, life-space model (Super, 1984, 1990). An earlier investigation indicated that age was a significant predictor of job separation (Luft & Rusch, 1994). Neither individual demographic characteristics (disability, ethnicity, and gender) nor job placement variables (job type, job placement, and previous work or training placement) were significant predictors in this analysis. The present investigation sought to examine this model when calculating age as a continuous variable and by including additional individual, employer, and agency variables. These variables were from an extant database of information collected over a five-year period on supported employees within a midwestern state.

Results showed that age was a significant predictor of job separations in the last and most parsimonious regression model consisting of eight variables. Other significant predictors included categories of primary disability, year of entry into the supported employment program (1985-1990), number of hours worked per month, vocational aptitude, and the average job separation of supported employees within an agency. In general, results were not definitive and did not confirm that individuals with disabilities follow patterns of career development patterns that are similar to individuals without disabilities. However, trends for job separations across age groups, although not statistically significant, continue to suggest that some similarities in career patterns do exist and that separations become increasingly positive (i.e., "promotions") as workers get older (cf. Luft & Rusch, 1994).

A number of historical conditions potentially impacted the strength of the results of this investigation: the newness of supported employment programs which resulted in the very recent entry of most of the sample into the community workforce regardless of their age, and the instability of the size of several disability groups which reflected changes in definitions of disabilities as well as changes in subsequent school and adult services. These conditions reemphasized the relative recency of many of the current services for persons with disabilities and consequently, modified this study into an exploratory investigation into career development patterns. A more definitive investigation and description of career development patterns may need to wait until the majority of persons with disabilities are consistent and regular working members of the community.

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5697779 INSPEC Abstract Number: C9710-7150-042

Title: DEPTH: the development of a maintenance simulation system Author(s): Ianni, J.D.

Author Affiliation: Air Force Inst. of Technol., Wright-Patterson AFB, OH, USA

Conference Title: Military, Government, and Aerospace Simulation. Proceedings of the 1997 Simulation MultiConference p.238-43

Editor(s): Chinni, M.J.

Publisher: SCS, San Diego, CA, USA

Publication Date: 1997 Country of Publication: USA viii+252 pp.

ISBN: 1 56555 120 6 Material Identity Number: XX97-01993

Conference Title: Military, Government, and Aerospace Simulation. Proceedings of the 1997 Simulation MultiConference

Conference Sponsor: SCS

Conference Date: 6-10 April 1997 Conference Location: Atlanta, GA, USA Language: English Document Type: Conference Paper (PA)

Treatment: Applications (A); General, Review (G)

Abstract: Maintenance simulation facilitates human factors analysis during the design of complex systems. Without physical mockups, human figure models can help to determine if components can be seen, reached, lifted and removed by most maintainers. The USA Air Force Armstrong Laboratory (AL) is developing DEPTH (Design Evaluation for Personnel, Training and Human Factors) to make this technology useful in weapon system design. The idea is to simulate tasks on virtual mockups, originating from computer-aided design (CAD) data, to find an optimal configuration. DEPTH facilitates ergonomics and task (efficiency) analyses, but also provides logistics data and training media. Links to logistics databases will be developed allowing task times, support equipment, experience levels, manpower, and other information to be extracted from the simulation. Animations will be captured for playback on a personal computer for training or electronic technical manuals. Finally, AL is investigating body tracking and head-mounted display equipment allowing users to experience maintenance tasks for more informative analyses. (11 Refs)

Subfile: C

Descriptors: CAD; computer animation; computer based training; digital simulation; ergonomics; human factors; large-scale systems; maintenance engineering; microcomputer applications; military computing; task analysis; virtual reality; weapons

Identifiers: DEPTH; Design Evaluation for Personnel Training and Human Factors; maintenance simulation system; human factors analysis; complex systems; human figure models; USA Air Force Armstrong Laboratory; weapon system design; virtual mockups; computer-aided design; CAD data; ergonomics; task analyses; training media; logistics databases; animations; personal computer; electronic technical manuals; body tracking; head-mounted display equipment

Class Codes: C7150 (Military computing); C7810C (Computer-aided instruction); C6180 (User interfaces); C6130B (Graphics techniques) Copyright 1997, IEE

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DIALOG(R) File 2: INSPEC

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4935542 INSPEC Abstract Number: B9506-8120J-007, C9506-7410B-038

Title: Feeder data base plus work rules aim for zero work-order errors

Author(s): Reason, J.

Journal: Electrical World vol.209, no.2 p.35, 38-9
Publication Date: Feb. 1995 Country of Publication: USA

CODEN: ELWOA3 ISSN: 0013-4457

Language: English Document Type: Journal Paper (JP)

Treatment: Practical (P)

Abstract: Consolidated Edison has 2200 feeders in its system. These feeders can be taken out of service for eight different reasons ranging from scheduled maintenance to emergency trips. District operators prepare about 500000 work orders a year, detailing in sequence each move that must be taken to remove customers from the feeder and de-energise it, locate, isolate and repair the fault, and then return the feeder safely to service. To eliminate the possibility of error, which may lead to a fatal accident of a field worker, and to speed up the preparation of work orders, the Systems Operation Department has a database of feeders in the system, together with database driven rules and software that alert an operator when a move is ordered that is not of correct sequence. The author describes how the database streamlines the work compared to the previously used manual system, and discusses the main features of the system. (0 Refs)

Subfile: B C

Descriptors: database management systems; distribution networks; maintenance engineering; power engineering computing

Identifiers: feeder data base; work rules; maintenance scheduling; emergency trips; feeder de-energisation; fault location; fault isolation; fault repair; work orders preparation; database driven rules; software Class Codes: B8120J (Distribution networks); B0160 (Plant engineering, maintenance and safety); C7410B (Power engineering computing); C6160 (

Database management systems (DBMS))

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DIALOG(R) File 2: INSPEC

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03727528 INSPEC Abstract Number: C90065222

Title: Underwriter insures itself using client-server LANs

Author(s): Livingston, D.

Journal: Systems Integration vol.23, no.6 p.47-50 Publication Date: June 1990 Country of Publication: USA Language: English Document Type: Journal Paper (JP)

Treatment: Applications (A); Practical (P)

Abstract: Modern industrial and commercial insurance underwriting is a complex business. Companies work within a diverse, continuously changing regulatory framework and policies offer customers a wide range of options, each entailing different rate calculations. The competition is strenuous. Underwriters must be able to tap relevant information quickly and apply it effectively to meet the needs of their clients. All this has long required mainframe and minicomputer processing power. Today, personal computer (PC) local area networks (LANs) in a client-server environment increasingly coexist with these traditional systems. One of the first of the major insurers to reach for a PC solution was the Domestic Brokerage Division of American International Group Inc. AIG- DB began to take a critical look in the mid-1980s at the efficiency of its mainframe-based commercial insurance Domestic Brokerage eventually enlisted systems processing system. integrator Valinor Inc. in a three-year effort to augment the work of AIG- DB 's internal systems integration team in revamping this architecture at the local level. Result: a client-server, distributed-processing system built around 55 LANs used by 4000 AIG- DB employees around the country. The initial \$2 million contract was completed in May 1988. Valinor continues to work with Domestic Brokerage on upgrading and extending the

system's capabilities. (0 Refs)

Subfile: C

Descriptors: insurance data processing; local area networks

Identifiers: insurance underwriting; local area networks; client-server

environment; PC solution; Domestic Brokerage Division; American International Group; distributed-processing system; Valinor

Class Codes: C7120 (Finance); C5620L (Local area networks)

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DIALOG(R) File 2:INSPEC

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02645235 INSPEC Abstract Number: B86019805, C86023051

Title: Robotics in maintenance: two current research areas

Author(s): Nanson, B.N.; Rehak, D.R.; Oppenheim, I.J.; Rosick, M.; Keirouz, W.T.

Author Affiliation: Dept. of Civil Eng. & Robotics Inst., Carnegie-Mellon Univ., Pittsburgh, PA, USA

Conference Title: Remote Operations and Robotics in the Nuclear Industry. Proceedings of the Executive Conference of the American Nuclear Society p.19 pp.

Publisher: ANS, La Grange Park, IL, USA

Publication Date: April 1985 Country of Publication: USA 506 pp.

Conference Sponsor: ANS

Conference Date: 21-24 April 1985 Conference Location: Pine Mountain, GA, USA

Language: English Document Type: Conference Paper (PA)

Treatment: Applications (A)

Abstract: The short term advantages of remote or robotic operation are largely self-evident. They include the replacement of workers in restricted environments and better quality in the work being performed. The authors address the long term prospects of robotics which are of even greater importance. The fundamental advantages in the long term include: an integrated database which rules the project throughout its life-cycle; and central process control for complex tasks. In this long term view, the robot is the extension of the computer, whereby the full power of the computer is finally committed to physical action. In that manner, a plant of the future may be planned (designed, fabricated, constructed, inspected, operated, maintained, . . .) from a single consistent database . If the computer/robot system performed a certain inspection or maintenance task, database has an absolute record of that action . This paper then the discusses two research areas which are fundamental to long term autonomous robotic development. The fist area is domain modeling and the second area is obstacle avoidance. In each case, a background and critical summary is given, followed by a description of the present work being undertaken by the authors. (48 Refs)

Subfile: B C

Descriptors: maintenance engineering; robots

Identifiers: robotic operation; restricted environments; integrated database; life-cycle; central process control; inspection; maintenance; long term autonomous robotic development; domain modeling; obstacle avoidance

Class Codes: B0160 (Plant engineering, maintenance and safety); C3390 (Robotics)

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DIALOG(R) File 2: INSPEC

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02528606 INSPEC Abstract Number: C85046929, D85002632

Title: Using the computer for personnel decision making

Author(s): Payne, D.

Conference Title: Computers in Personnel. Today's Decisions - Tomorrow's Opportunities p.45-51

Editor(s): Page, T.

Publisher: Inst. Manpower Studies, Brighton, UK

Publication Date: 1985 Country of Publication: UK 200 pp

ISBN: 0 904744 93 0

Conference Sponsor: Inst. Manpower Studies; Inst. Personnel Manage Conference Date: 9-11 July 1985 Conference Location: London, UK

Language: English Document Type: Conference Paper (PA)

Treatment: General, Review (G); Practical (P)

Abstract: Improving the quality of decision making in all aspects of the personnel management task is a vital ingredient in improving business performance. The computer is increasingly becoming an essential aid in this process and a professional personnel management will only do its task effectively if it continues to ensure adequate investment in the development of computer-based systems in its area of responsibility. The aspects of Personnel work where Rolls-Royce has made significant use of the computer to aid the decision making process are in the areas of: resourcing; pay negotiations; control of absenteeism; job evaluation validation; manpower reduction programmes; organisation development; career planning; succession planning; remuneration policy; and training. It goes without saying that in all these applications, the construction and format of the computerised personnel data base is critical to the design and development of personnel systems themselves. (0 Refs)

Subfile: C D

Descriptors: management information systems; personnel

Identifiers: personnel decision making; personnel management; business performance; computer; computer-based systems; Rolls-Royce; resourcing; pay negotiations; control of absenteeism; job evaluation validation; manpower reduction programmes; organisation development; career planning; succession planning; remuneration policy; training; computerised personnel data base

Class Codes: C7190 (Other fields); D2110 (Personnel)

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DIALOG(R)File 2:INSPEC

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01615996 INSPEC Abstract Number: C81003124

Title: The implementation of SPSS on a dedicated small computer. The SSRC-GEC 4070 project $\,$

Author(s): Mayes, D.G.

Author Affiliation: Univ. of Exeter, Exeter, UK

Conference Title: COMPSTAT 1980. Proceedings in Computational Statistics p.504-8

Editor(s): Barritt, M.M.; Wishart, D. Publisher: Physica-Verlag, Wien, Austria

Publication Date: 1980 Country of Publication: Austria 632 pp.

ISBN: 3 7908 0229 8

Conference Date: 1980 Conference Location: Edinburgh, UK Language: English Document Type: Conference Paper (PA)

Treatment: Practical (P)

Abstract: This paper outlines the work being undertaken at the University of Exeter under the author's direction to evaluate the use of SPSS on a dedicated small small machine against the normal availability of the package on mainframes. In particular it examines the criteria which need to be borne in mind when designing an implementation for the usual run of users in the social sciences who are not familiar with the use of computers, nor in many cases with statistics. These criteria relate not just to cost, time and the skills of the various personnel involved but also to the relation between statistical computing and the problems to which it is addressed in the social sciences. Three working environments are discussed which compare the relative importance of speed , simplicity, and connection with other machines and data interactive work The discussion includes the ability to manipulate large files of input and output, the detection and correction of errors and the explanation of the meaning of results. The aim of this research is narrowing the gap in social projects between the analytical problem and the science research statistical computing used to attempt its solution. The project is financed by the SSRC and the evaluation provided will aid its decision making over the financing of statistical computing in social science projects in the

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universities and polytechnics in the UK. (O Refs)
  Subfile: C
  Descriptors: social and behavioural sciences computing; statistical
analysis
  Identifiers: SPSS; dedicated small computer; SSRC; GEC 4070; statistical
computing; social science
  Class Codes: C7310 (Mathematics); C7810 (Social and behavioural
sciences)
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           JICST ACCESSION NUMBER: 98A0773587 FILE SEGMENT: JICST-E
Motion Analysis for designing Factory Work Database based on Video Data.
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Joho Shori Gakkai Kenkyu Hokoku, 1998, VOL.98, NO.58(DBS-116(2)),
    PAGE.241-248, FIG.10, TBL.1, REF.7
JOURNAL NUMBER: Z0031BAO
                           ISSN NO: 0919-6072
UNIVERSAL DECIMAL CLASSIFICATION: 681.3:165
                                             658.513/.514
LANGUAGE: Japanese
                          COUNTRY OF PUBLICATION: Japan
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
ARTICLE TYPE: Original paper
MEDIA TYPE: Printed Publication
ABSTRACT: In this paper Factory Work Database Systems which capture
    video images of works and analyze motions of workers for the
    purpose of optimum design of man machine cooperative systems are
    discussed. The "3D CHASER" program, by which spatial positions and
    motions of major parts of human bodies, are presented and evaluated.
    (author abst.)
DESCRIPTORS: pattern recognition; work analysis; database; industrial
    engineering; production process; stereoscopic image; image analysis;
    conceptual schema; tracking system
BROADER DESCRIPTORS: recognition; analysis(separation); analysis;
    engineering; process(production); process; production process(control);
    image; image processing; information processing; treatment; database
    schema; equipment
CLASSIFICATION CODE(S): JE07000S; KB03040A
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         JICST ACCESSION NUMBER: 97A0822736 FILE SEGMENT: JICST-E
Design of Time-Space Virtual Objects for Work Database in Product
    Engineering.
IMAI SAYAKA (1); KOBAYASHI MINAKO (1); MASUTANI KAZUYUKI (1); ARISAWA
    HIROSHI (1)
(1) Yokohama Natl. Univ., Fac. of Eng.
Joho Shori Gakkai Kenkyu Hokoku, 1997, VOL.97, NO.64 (DBS-113), PAGE.365-370
, FIG.7, REF.11
JOURNAL NUMBER: Z0031BAO
                            ISSN NO: 0919-6072
UNIVERSAL DECIMAL CLASSIFICATION: 681.3:061.68
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    681.51:007.51
LANGUAGE: Japanese
                           COUNTRY OF PUBLICATION: Japan
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
ARTICLE TYPE: Original paper
MEDIA TYPE: Printed Publication
ABSTRACT: The paper presents modelling of movements of factory workers
               Database , and method of representing the query result
    for Work
    through CG. Query result comes in the form of a hierarchical structure,
    called OE(Object Expression). On the other hand, human model can be
    desclibed as a tree structure. Since OE cannot represent such tree
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structure, we offer a method for handling tree structures in OE as

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DESCRIPTORS: database; human engineering; work analysis; space-time;
    computer graphics; worker(manual); modeling; hierarchical structure;
    tree structure; computer simulation; visualization; factory; space;
    virtual space
BROADER DESCRIPTORS: engineering; analysis(separation); analysis; image
    technology; technology; computer application; utilization; job
    classified employee; worker; operation(processing); structure;
    simulation; modification
CLASSIFICATION CODE(S): JD03030U; KB03040A; IB03000G
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Piping engineering note.
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(1) Okamuragijutsushijimusho
Kagaku Sochi (Plant and Process), 1995, VOL.37, NO.12, PAGE.110-112, FIG.2,
    TBL.5
JOURNAL NUMBER: G0109AAO
                              ISSN NO: 0368-4849
                                                     CODEN: KASOB
UNIVERSAL DECIMAL CLASSIFICATION: 66.01/.05
LANGUAGE: Japanese
                             COUNTRY OF PUBLICATION: Japan
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
ARTICLE TYPE: Commentary
MEDIA TYPE: Printed Publication
ABSTRACT: Dia-inch" is a scale representing a welding work quantity and abbreviated as \ \ DB . It is used as a unit which shows the working
    quantity of piping work. If DB per day of a welding worker is
    known, ( DB of construction work )/( DB of welding worker )
    indicates the required man-day of welding work. The following are
    explained: Examples of factors used for DB value conversion:
    Examples of values of standard man-day which show the man-day necessary
    for the work : Mutual relationship among weight , length, and DB
    Distribution of construction DB by districts : Man-day ratio between
    plumbers and welders: Preconditions for setting a standard man-day.
DESCRIPTORS: piping(system); laying(construction); welding; welding
    procedure; frequency(statistics); man-hour
BROADER DESCRIPTORS: construction(work); bonding and joining; work and
    operation; degree
CLASSIFICATION CODE(S): XB01010S
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Personal Computer Networking System to Assist Staff Job.
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Kawasaki Seitetsü Giho(Kawasaki Steel Giho), 1995, VOL.27, NO.2,
    PAGE.110-114, FIG.8, TBL.1, REF.9
                              ISSN NO: 0368-7236
                                                     CODEN: KWSGB
JOURNAL NUMBER: G0980AAD
UNIVERSAL DECIMAL CLASSIFICATION: 651.01
LANGUAGE: Japanese
                            COUNTRY OF PUBLICATION: Japan
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
ARTICLE TYPE: Commentary
MEDIA TYPE: Printed Publication
ABSTRACT: Kawasaki Steel has developed the personal computer networking
    system which realizes the speedier job of the staff. This system, based on the data - base of the main-frame and the recent computer
    technology, includes personal computers, work -stations and networks. The personal computers in Kawasaki Steel have rapidly increased in
    number, and helped to improve the job efficiency at the office section.
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Also, much information and knowledge can be used commonly among not

sequence of node identification numbers. (author abst.)

only at each section but also in whole works. (author abst.)
DESCRIPTORS: staff organization; improvement of efficiency; information system; LAN; productivity; office management
BROADER DESCRIPTORS: management organization; organization; modification; computer application system; system; computer network; communication network; information network; network; management
CLASSIFICATION CODE(S): KAO7000H

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02475048 JICST ACCESSION NUMBER: 96A0334986 FILE SEGMENT: PreJICST-E "Highly Efficient Production and Application of Sheet Products" and "Application Development in Open System's Age". Personal Computer Networking System to Support Staff Jobs.

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(1) Kawasaki Steel Corp.; (2) Kawasaki Steel Systems R&D Corp.

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LANGUAGE: English COUNTRY OF PUBLICATION: Japan

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

MEDIA TYPE: Printed Publication

ABSTRACT: Kawasaki Steel has developed the personal computer networking system which realizes the **speedier job** of the **staff**. This system, based on the **data - base** of the mainframe and the recent computer technology, includes personal computers, **work** -stations and networks. The personal computers in Kawasaki Steel have rapidly increased in number, and helped to improve the job efficiency at the office section. Also, much information and knowledge can be used commonly among not only at each section but also in whole works. (author abst.)

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DIALOG(R)File 94:JICST-EPlus

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01650264 JICST ACCESSION NUMBER: 92A0694579 FILE SEGMENT: JICST-E Influence of Noise on Heart Rate and Quantity of Work in Mental Work. UMEMURA M (1); HONDA K (2); KIKUCHI Y (3)

(1) Science Univ. Tokyo; (2) Musashi Inst. Technology; (3) Chiba Univ. Ann Physiol Anthropol, 1992, VOL.11, NO.5, PAGE.523-532, FIG.22, REF.21 JOURNAL NUMBER: Y0932AAE ISSN NO: 0287-8429

UNIVERSAL DECIMAL CLASSIFICATION: 613.6+614.8-027 614.872 LANGUAGE: English COUNTRY OF PUBLICATION: Japan

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ARTICLE TYPE: Original paper MEDIA TYPE: Printed Publication

ABSTRACT: In the present study, we investigated the correlation between the physiological function, heart rate(HR) and the quantity of work performed when A- weighted sound pressure level of factory noise or construction noise was varied during the mental operations of calculation and erasion. Furthermore, we looked for differences in the effects of sound noise and music on the quantity of work performed. The A- weighted sound pressure level was set at four levels of background noise, i. e. 60, 70 and 80 dB (A). The music sound level was set at 70 dB (A). The subjects were exposed to factory noise, construction noise and music during their mental work. A balanced factorial experiment was conducted with a total of 16 combinations of types of mental work (two levels of calculation and erasion), sound noise (two levels of factory and construction sound noise), and A-weighted sound pressure levels (four levels). The order of the experimental procedures was determined at random. The following conclusions were made from the findings of the study. 1) HR elevation occurred due to exposure to sound noise, and further increase in HR resulted from an increase in the A-weighted sound pressure level. This result can be attributed to the action of sound noise as a stressor,

which excites sympathetic nerves, leading to an elevation of HR . 2) The quantity of work performed decreased with an increase in the A-weighted sound pressure level. 3) When the subjects were exposed to music with an A-weighted sound pressure level of 70 dB (A) instead of sound noise of the same level, almost no elevation of HR was observed. (abridged author abst.)

DESCRIPTORS: occupational health; industrial noise; music; labor physiology; heartbeat; task performance; physiological acoustics

BROADER DESCRIPTORS: public health; hygiene; noise(pollution); sound; art; hemodynamics

CLASSIFICATION CODE(S): GB05000S; SB04020T

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Tech support gets helping hand -- Opis Support Express for Saber LAN Workstation speeds help-desk tasks

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ISSN: 1040-5917 Company Name: Opis

Product Name: Support Express for Saber LAN Workstation

Languages: English

Document Type: Software Review Grade (of Product Reviewed): B

Hardware/Software Compatibility: IBM PC Compatible; Saber LAN Workstation

Geographic Location: United States

Presents a favorable review of Support Express for Saber LAN Workstation (\$2,995, first user; \$1,249, additional users), an intelligent help-desk product from Opis Corp. of Des Moines, IA (800, 515). Says Support Express provides links to Saber LAN Workstation's inventory, remote-control, and messaging services, allowing technical-support personnel to manage and observe improvements to the system. Contends that the program's intelligent database is easy to use, offering convenient features to speed help-desk tasks. Concludes that Support Express is an excellent choice for Saber LAN Workstation managers. Includes one screen display. (CH)

Descriptors: Help Desk; Customer Support; Inventory; Remote Computing : Electronic Mail; Local Area Networks; Software Review

Identifiers: Support Express for Saber LAN Workstation; Opis

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The role of complex, simultaneous trunk motions in the risk of occupation-related low back disorders

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Language: English

Study Design. Simultaneous trunk kinematic variables of industrial workers performing jobs with varying degrees of low back disorder risk were quantified, by using a three-dimensional electrogoniometer. Objectives. To assess the distinguishing patterns of simultaneous multidimensional (complex) motion parameters of workers performing manual material handling jobs with varying degrees of low back disorder risk. of

Background Data. There is significant epidemiologic and biomechanical evidence that implicates simultaneously occurring or combined motions and loading as important risk factors for low back disorder. However, the specific levels or magnitudes and patterns of these complex motions at which risk of low back disorder is increased are still unknown. Methods. An industrial database of 126 workers and jobs was used to quantify the complex trunk motions of groups with varying degrees of low back disorder risk. Three groups, low-, medium-, and high-risk, were defined on the basis of retrospective injury records of the corresponding jobs. The jobs were further classified into five cells of weight-lift rate combinations. Within each weight-lift rate cell, the three-dimensional trunk motion patterns of analyzed. Bivariate distributions and cumulative workers were distribution functions were used to compare the simultaneous occurrence of complex dynamic motions among risk groups. Results. High- and medium-risk groups exhibited complex trunk motion patterns involving high magnitudes of combined velocities, especially at extreme sagittal flexion; whereas the low-risk group did not. Postural trunk information alone did not provide a consistent pattern for distinguishing among risk groups. Conclusions. Elevated levels of complex simultaneous velocity patterns were unique to groups with increased low back disorder risk. Knowledge of these complex trunk velocity patterns in combination with key workplace factors provides a more sensitive means for identifying low back disorder occupational risk factors than does mere postural information.

English Descriptors: Low back pain; Risk factor; Association; Workplace
layout; Motion study; Trunk; Ergonomics; Kinematics; Evaluation; Handling
; Worker; Human; Pain

Broad Descriptors: Diseases of the osteoarticular system; Spine disease; Rachialgia; Systeme osteoarticulaire pathologie; Rachis pathologie; Rachialgie; Sistema osteoarticular patologia; Raquis patologia; Raquialgia

French Descriptors: Lombalgie; Facteur risque; Association; Poste travail; Etude mouvement; Tronc; Ergonomie; Cinematique; Evaluation; Manutention; Travailleur; Homme; Douleur

Classification Codes: 002B29C01

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Using a manpower database to model nurse turnaround and return to service MCCLEAN S; REID N; DEVINE C; GRIBBIN O; THOMPSON K
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Language: English

English Descriptors: Public health; Database ; Manpower ; Nurse;
Professional activity; Staff management; Job engineering

French Descriptors: Sante publique; Base donnee; Main d'oeuvre; Infirmier; Activite professionnelle; Gestion personnel; Organisation travail

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Title: Analysis of multiple activity manual materials handling tasks using
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Journal: ERGONOMICS, 1999, V42, N1 (JAN), P246-257
ISSN: 0014-0139
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Publisher: TAYLOR & FRANCIS LTD, ONE GUNPOWDER SQUARE, LONDON EC4A 3DE,
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Subfile: CC ENGI--Current Contents, Engineering, Computing & Technology; CC
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Journal Subject Category: ENGINEERING, INDUSTRIAL; PSYCHOLOGY
Abstract: Manual handling of materials continues to be a hazardous
    activity, leading to a very significant number of severe overexertion
    injuries. Designing jobs that are within the physical capabilities of
    workers is one approach ergonomists have adopted to redress this
    problem. As a result, several job design procedures have been developed
    over the years. However, these procedures are limited to designing or
    evaluating only pure lifting jobs or only the lifting aspect of a
    materials handling job. This paper describes a general procedure that
    may be used to design or analyse materials handling jobs that involve
    several different kinds of activities (e.g. lifting, lowering,
    carrying, pushing, etc). The job design/analysis procedure utilizes an
    elemental approach (breaking the job into elements) and relies on
    databases provided in A Guide to Manual Materials Handling to compute
    associated risk factors. The use of the procedure is demonstrated with
    the help of two case studies.
Descriptors--Author Keywords: job design and analysis ; multiple activity
    tasks; risk potential; work rate
Identifiers--KeyWord Plus(R): WORK SHIFTS; WEIGHTS;
Cited References:
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Title: Maximum acceptable forces of dynamic pushing: comparison of two techniques

Author(s): Ciriello VM (REPRINT); McGorry RW; Martin SE; Bezverkhny IB Corporate Source: LIBERTY MUTUAL RES CTR SAFETY & HLTH,71 FRANKLAND RD/HOPKINTON//MA/01748 (REPRINT)

Journal: ERGONOMICS, 1999, V42, N1 (JAN), P32-39 ISSN: 0014-0139 Publication date: 19990100 Publisher: TAYLOR & FRANCIS LTD, ONE GUNPOWDER SQUARE, LONDON EC4A 3DE, ENGLAND Language: English Document Type: ARTICLE Geographic Location: USA Subfile: CC ENGI--Current Contents, Engineering, Computing & Technology; CC SOCS--Current Contents, Social & Behavioral Sciences; Journal Subject Category: ENGINEERING, INDUSTRIAL; PSYCHOLOGY Abstract: The purpose of this experiment was to investigate maximum acceptable initial and sustained forces while performing a push of 7.6 m, performed at a frequency of 1 push min(-1) on a magnetic particle brake treadmill and a high-inertia push-cart. Eight male industrial workers performed a 40 min treadmill pushing task in the context of a larger experiment and two, 2 h push-cart tasks with a unique water loading system. A psychophysical methodology was employed, whereby the subjects were asked to select a workload they could sustain for 8 h without straining themselves or without becoming unusually tired, weakened, overheated or out of breath. The results revealed that maximum acceptable initial and sustained forces of pushing on the high inertia cart were significantly higher (28 and 23%, respectively) than pushing forces on the magnetic particle brake treadmill. It was concluded that adjustments to the pushing and pulling data Snook and Ciriello (1991) may be appropriate if verification of this experiment yields similar results. Descriptors--Author Keywords: psychophysics ; pushing ; manual materials handling; maximum acceptable forces Identifiers--KeyWord Plus(R): MANUAL HANDLING TASKS; LIFTING TASKS : WORK ; WEIGHTS; DESIGN; BACK Cited References: *EASTM KOD CO HUM, 1986, ERG DES PEOPL WORK BURDORF A, 1992, V23, P263, APPL ERGON CIRIELLO VM, 1990, V33, P187, ERGONOMICS CIRIELLO VM, 1983, V25, P473, HUM FACTORS CIRIELLO VM, 1993, V35, P175, HUM FACTORS CIRIELLO VM, 1997, IN PRESS INT J IND E CIRIELLO VM, 1978, P318, P HUM FACT SOC 22 AN DELOOZE MP, 1994, V37, P1495, ERGONOMICS FERGUSON GA, 1971, STATISTICAL ANAL PSY GORDON CC, 1989, 89044 ANTHR RES PROJ KEMPER HCG, 1990, V33, P1471, ERGONOMICS KIVI P, 1991, V22, P43, APPL ERGON LEAMON TB, 1994, V6, P81, ADV IND ERGONOMICS S SNOOK SH, 1970, V31, P579, AM IND HYG ASSOC J SNOOK SH, 1978, V21, P963, ERGONOMICS SNOOK SH, 1991, V34, P1197, ERGONOMICS SNOOK SH, 1995, V38, P1488, ERGONOMICS SNOOK SH, 1971, V13, P467, HUM FACTORS SNOOK SH, 1974, V16, P527, J OCCUP MED

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Title: PHOTOGRAMMETRY - THE IRISH EXPERIENCE

Author(s): WALSH MC

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Geographic Location: IRELAND

Subfile: SciSearch; CC PHYS--Current Contents, Physical, Chemical & Earth Sciences

Journal Subject Category: PHOTOGRAPHIC TECHNOLOGY; REMOTE SENSING
Abstract: The history of survey and map production methods used by the
Ordnance Survey of the Republic of Ireland is outlined and the
significance of the decision, taken in the 1960s, to maximize the use
of computer technology is emphasized The four objectives of the
Ordnance Survey's current programme of work (urban mapping, small
scale database, large scale database and private sector support)
require effort to be concentrated on resurvey procedures and no
revision of old mapping is carried out. Details are given of equipment
possessed by the Ordnance Survey and of staff distribution, followed
by descriptions of procedures adopted for achieving both the small
scale and large scale databases. Justification is presented for the
decision to commit major financial investment to digital
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Title: CARDIOVASCULAR PARAMETERS - SENSITIVITY TO DETECT AUTONOMIC
 DYSFUNCTION AND INFLUENCE OF AGE AND SEX IN NORMAL SUBJECTS

Author(s): BRAUNE S; AUER A; SCHULTEMONTING J; SCHWERBROCK S; LUCKING CH Corporate Source: UNIV FREIBURG, DEPT NEUROL/D-79106 FREIBERG//GERMANY/;

UNIV FREIBURG, DEPT BIOMETR & STAT/D-79106 FREIBERG//GERMANY/Journal: CLINICAL AUTONOMIC RESEARCH, 1996, V6, N1 (FEB), P3-15

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Abstract: In 137 healthy volunteers between 18 and 85 years of age, blood pressure (BP) and heart rate (HR) were measured continuously with the Finapres device during active change of posture (ACP), i.e. standing upright, passive tilt (PT, i.e. head-up tilt), Valsalva manoeuvre (VM), deep breathing (DB), isometric muscle exercise (IME) and a mental arithmetic task (MA). Mean HR activation was attenuated with increasing age in all manoeuvres, but was unrelated to sex. In non-orthostatic challenge procedures like MA and IME mean BP increases were independent of age and sex, despite lower increases in HR in the elderly. This points to a preserved sympathetic efferent activity. Following a forced fall in BP during ACP, PT and VM, the initial responses and maintenance values of BP showed a significant age-related decrease. This finding was strongly related to lower BP values in males compared with females, which became more pronounced with increasing age. Further studies to investigate age-related changes in the activation of the various components of the cardiovascular regulation need to consider the mode of activation of the autonomic nervous system and sex as factors of influence. Normal ranges, and also some new points in time not previously measurable, were calculated for all standard autonomic rests based on the continuous measurement of BP and HR . The minimum length of rime necessary to assess the cardiovascular responses during ACP and PT was found to be 60 s. The upper time limits for reaching maximum activation during IME and MA were 3.5 min and 1 min, respectively. Age had a relevant influence on the lower limits of normal of all HR parameters and of some BP measurements during PT, ACP and VM. Sex was found to have no relevant impact on normal ranges. Over 65 years of age the normal values for HR activation during VM and DB hardly exceeded baseline values. The possibility of increasing the sensitivity of detection of autonomic dysfunction by measuring BP continuously must be approached with caution, as sufficient sensitivity was only reached at the lower limits of normal during late phase II of the VM. The initial increase of HR after ACP and the BP values after 60 s standing time proved to be the parameters with the best

sensitivity for detecting an affection of the regulation of HR and BP over the whole range of age.

Descriptors -- Author Keywords: AUTONOMIC TESTING; NORMAL RANGES; SEX Identifiers -- KeyWords Plus: SYMPATHETIC - NERVE ACTIVITY; BLOOD - PRESSURE; HEART-RATE; ISOMETRIC-EXERCISE; FUNCTION-TESTS; MENTAL STRESS; REFLEX TESTS; RESPONSES; NEUROPATHY; BAROREFLEX

Research Fronts: 94-5115 001 (DIABETIC AUTONOMIC NEUROPATHY; CARDIOVASCULAR FUNCTION; ACUTE COMPLICATIONS IN IDDM PATIENTS) 94-6766 001 (NONINVASIVE BEAT-TO-BEAT ARTERIAL BLOOD-PRESSURE; HEALTHY HUMANS; SHORT-TERM VARIABILITY; AUTONOMIC RESPONSES; SYMPATHETIC-NERVE ACTIVITY)

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MacLeod, Marcia

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...only four percent of readers chose operating system failures as the leading cause of lost <code>work</code> . What's ironic about these survey results is that few in the CAD software industry...

- ...Application Bugs All software has programming errors that occasionally cause loss of the operator's **work**. But CAD software is much less reliable than general business software from companies such as...
- ...a word processor or a program to balance a checkbook. Typing is a well understood **task**. Geometric modeling and logic synthesis are much less so. There are many more logical branches...
- ...their products. Moreover, engineers working on the most demanding projects are unwilling to risk their work (and possibly their jobs) on prerelease code. Most beta testing is confined to loading and manipulating some existing models...
- ...hazy idea of what designers of machinery or electronic systems do with their products. These talented folks generally report to a director of engineering whose performance is measured by the ability to deliver software releases on schedule. This organization imposes a quota system on workers . Quality guru Edwards Demming observed that quotas invariably lead to poor--quality manufactured goods. The...
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- ...allow CAD development teams the freedom to make changes. It's rare that a product works right the first time. That's why real manufacturers the outfits that buy and use...
- ...an unsuspecting public. Test cases must be developed from an understanding of how the program works internally. These cases must be

supplemented with real data from customers that exercise the code...CAD software. Instead, customers compare features and capabilities. This competition encourages CAD outfits to put **efforts** into developing new bells and whistles instead of assuring that the capabilities they deliver are...

...important that the bug--reporting system be kept simple. Users who have just lost some work don't want to spend a lot of time reporting their problems. They prefer to get back to work and make up for lost time. Creating a Web site for tracking software bugs will...

...mail to the CAD system administrator who can copy it and paste it to a database or spreadsheet program. With a little more work , information from the form can automatically be entered into a database . Just because your company designs a bug--reporting system doesn't mean that users will ...

...bugs out of their software, they'll have strong financial incentive to clean up their **acts** . If just ten percent of CAD user companies adopt a systematic approach to recording software...

...improve testing procedures. We believe that whenever possible, a two--step approach to reporting errors **works** best. Errors reported through the bug--tracking system should be analyzed by a system administrator...

...the problems to the CAD firm. In many cases, it will be easier to get action from the supplier if a repeated pattern of similar defects can be demonstrated. Do not...instruction in how to use CAD software. This is especially important for users who are moving from two-- to three--dimensional systems. Training can be purchased from a vendor or (if your company is large enough) conducted by the in--house staff. Provide additional training about new software capabilities with each new release. This can be a short session (possibly two to four hours) organized by your support staff or an outside consultant. Hold weekly or biweekly productivity meetings to discuss streamlining internal procedures, finding ways to work around software defects, and developing CAD techniques specific to your company's product lines. Keep...

...layering, file--naming conventions, and standard part libraries Answers to frequently asked questions Ways to work around known software bugs A bug--reporting form Send one or more representatives to the...

...those responding wrote that their CAD software was too complex or contained bugs that destroyed ${\tt work}$. Twenty--five wrote about errors caused by poor product data management software or difficulties with...

...related to data translation while another 12 experienced difficulties with aging hardware and operating systems. **Personnel** problems were the bane of only five of those responding, but difficulties with higher--level ...

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04199199 Supplier Number: 54910414 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT) Centura embraces EVA.

Retail Banker International, pNA

June 3, 1999

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TEXT

...only the 55th-largest US bank with \$8.7 billion in assets, Centura's

pioneering efforts and rigorous capital management are now capturing the attention of industry peers worldwide. Centura's...

- ...It's further important to know who the 80 percent are so that we can work on improving their profitability through pricing and moving them to less costly delivery channels if possible. But at the same time, we are...a bunch of propeller heads, slicing and dicing numbers; it's out there for our employees . KL: We also have what we call 'relationship enhancement suggestions' that come up on the...
- ...as 'next most likely product'. For example, when we're dealing with a customer, our database can suggest to our platform people what might be a good next product for this...
- ...s no rocket science involved; it's just the discipline of how you organise to act as a sales company. You start each week with a sales meeting and you end...two-edged sword by the way. There was a time when we never lost any employees. Admittedly, unemployment wasn't quite as low as it is today. But we didn't...
- ...apart from our competitors is a winning strategy, a will to execute it and the **talent** to pull it off. Copyright (c) Lafferty Publications Ltd 1999 All rights reserved The IDA...

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Price wars are over; go for higher MCO rates.

Health Care Strategic Management, v17, n5, pNA

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- ... look at turning down, or at least threatening to turn down, unprofitable business in an **effort** to force more money out of Congress and private payers. Tactically, providers are hiring stronger...
- ...that it will be able to pass its higher costs on to employers and their **employees** . Decline risks; change terms In Denver, meanwhile, Columbia/ HCA's hospitals and PacifiCare squared off...
- ...at both not-for-profit and investor-owned systems are heading south. The Balanced Budget Act of 1997 will take some \$100 billion out of Medicare and Medicaid payments to hospitals...
- ...gather and analyze. Most of this data should be in hospitals' and medical group practices' databases and familiar to the institutions' executives, negotiators and strategic planners. Providers are expected to have at least basic databases and cost accounting systems and the people who know how to use them. The authors do not try to explain how to use the data or suggest the talents or skills needed to be good data analysts, policy makers and negotiators. But it is clear that the talents needed include the ability to: Assess your strengths and weaknesses. Get buy-in on those strengths and weaknesses from top management, physicians and members of the board. Analyze the market for...
- ...other industries may be worth training in health care, if that person has the personality, work ethic, communications skills, sales skills and track record that indicate he or she can get the job done. ...deals. Negotiators must fit the market situation Most integrated systems and many individual hospitals have staff lawyers and accountants on their managed care negotiating teams. But being a lawyer or accountant...
- ...over the next several years renegotiating contracts. To succeed, they will invest in cost accounting, databases, lawyers, negotiating teams and

long strategy sessions. Hospitals will have to give up unprofitable services...

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TELEPHONY. (News Briefs)

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TEXT:

- ...is eyeing U.S., Mexico and Latin America as among key areas in which to strengthen market presence as it aims to become one of top 5 telecom companies worldwide, Chmn...
- ...Telefonica, which Spain privatized 3 years ago, also expects to continue drawing on U.S. talent and to increase its foothold in Miami, he said. Throughout speech, Villalonga touted Telefonica's...
- ...industry-funded 3rd party administrator (TPA) to handle slamming complaints could conflict with state enforcement **efforts**, NARUC warned FCC in comments filed April 16. TPA plan proposed by long distance industry takes "one-size-fits- all approach" that could hamper state **efforts** to combat slamming, Assn. said. NARUC also questioned "whether consumers will have confidence in a...
- ...Vice President Gore praised plan last month, saying number could provide information on weather, road work or traffic jams. Comments are due July 20, replies Aug. 20. FCC comment deadlines: (1...as IXC Communications will begin six-month field trial May 17 in Austin of high-speed Internet protocol (IP)-over-cable voice and data service for remote office workers. IXC is testing virtual private networking technology that integrates its fiber network with cable modems...
- ...trial will be able to access corporate e-mail, Internet and Intranets, fax, IP telephony, data file transfers. "IXC's trial deployment will lead to refinements in this technology that will accelerate...
- ...Div. that it said provides one-phone, one-number access. System, called Mobile Advantage, allows **employees** who leave **work** premises to transfer files from office system to public switched land mobile network. Equalnet Communications...
- ...customers. EMAX didn't disclose financial terms of agreement. Company said Pioneer fits into its **effort** to build Fla.-based telecom operation. AT&T said serious operation support system (OSS) deficiencies...
- ...N.Y.C. market. Consumer/competitor coalition in Mich. released study claiming current Mich. Telecom **Act** (MTA) has harmed public interest by weakening PSC and allowing state's incumbent telcos to...
- ...dismissed study as false and biased. MTA expires next year and legislature has begun preliminary work on successor statute. Mich. Alliance for Competitive Telecommunications, group supported by some Ameritech competitors, said...
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Java takes control; Flexible, full-featured and scaleable, Java application servers become the safe choice for mission-critical Web applicationsBy

Jon Udell.

Udell, Jon Computerworld, p68(1)

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- ...is cloudy. But Java the programming language (as opposed to Java the environment) has several **strengths** that make it an ideal choice for delivering those kinds of network services. Java programmers...
- ...Finally, Java is hot. Developers want to learn it and use it, so plenty of talent is becoming available for Java projects. The server environment tends to minimize Java's weaknesses...
- ...Interactive's Power Steering is a Web-based application that's used to help fast- moving organizations set strategic goals, recruit teams, collaborate and measure progress. Early adopters of Power Steering...
- ...that govern both the construction and use of middleware components. Why WebSphere? For starters, it works closely with IBM's VisualAge for Java, which Singleton calls "absolutely the best integrated development...
- ...IBM's highly regarded XML parser and comes with a Java-based connector to Notes databases .The services that run under WebSphere conform to the standard servlet application programming interface. As...
- ...Inc.'s NetDynamics, Windows NT clustering, Microsoft Internet Information Server (IIS) and an Oracle 8 databaseLead : Scott Bennett (scott.bennett@ employee .com)Workscape builds benefits administration systems for corporate clients, including Cigna Corp., Fidelity Investments and...
- ...at Workscape's site, these systems combine interactive voice response and Web technologies to enable employees at the client companies to enroll in benefits programs, monitor status and change their electives. The systems are also used by human resources personnel to administer benefits programs. The Web faces that these systems present to employees and administrators are HTML pages dynamically built by Sun's NetDynamics application server. Running on...farm of IIS Web servers that handle incoming connections and a back-end Oracle 8 database. It links the systems, building the SQL statements that query the database and generating the HTML to display the results. Scott Bennett, manager of software development at Workscape's Employee Communications Services subsidiary in Natick, Mass., says NetDynamics' smart, powerful yet extensible data-aware objects...
- ...gains worth over a million dollars.Among application servers, SilverStream is distinguished by three particular strengths, Sonty says.One strength is excellent data connectivity, which includes the standard Java Database Connectivity (JDBC) support for SQL data as well as more specialized support for Lotus Notes and for data created by SAP AG and PeopleSoft Inc.enterprise resource planning applications.Another strength is its support for content management. The server includes tools a full text indexer, a...
- ...not Java skills," project director Tom Gwydir says. But getting all the Microsoft parts to work together properly "requires five CDs and 10 reboots," project architect John Peterson says. "We can... ...style solution," Peterson says. Global Access does use JDBC to connect to the SQL Server database to authenticate and track users of the system. But it doesn't require -- nor does...wanted a thin-client system and flexible middleware to connect the client to an Oracle database. The

project, dubbed Talon, was "a great first trial use of this technology," says CIO...

- ...he evaluated several Java application servers and concluded all meet the basic requirements -- session maintenance, **database** connectivity, fault tolerance and scalability. For the first incarnation of Talon, he settled on Bluestone...
- ...of design," Rongan says. "Simple, easy-to-use, no-nonsense, not always pretty, but it works and it's fast."The biggest surprise was Java's excellent performance. That's because middle-tier applications spend most of their time talking to the database, Bly says. "When you monitor the Java logic in the app server, it hardly flickers...

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CADENCE SUES AVANT! CORP., FORMERLY KNOWN AS ARCSYS, INC., FOR THEFT OF
TRADE SECRETS, COPYRIGHT INFRINGEMENT, AND CONSPIRACY

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...a supplier of EDA software. The conduct at issue involves only the former ArcSys, its **employees**, and a "consultant" whom Cadence believes has been secretly working for Avant!. "We believe we...

- ...to unlawfully gain immediate business advantage rather than compete fairly through legitimate means and hard **work** ." The individual defendants named in the complaint include Avant! Chairman and CEO Gerald "Gerry" Hsu ...
- ...Mitch" Igusa, Chih-Liang "Eric" Cheng, and Opher Segev, all of whom are former Cadence **employees**. Defendant Igusa had previously been charged with six felony counts of misappropriation of Cadence trade...
- ...code is proprietary computer code that makes software programs ran.) At least two current Avant! **employees** (defendants Cheng and Segev) and a third "consultant (defendant Igusa), all formerly employed by Cadence...
- ...T. Lin, abruptly resigned. Approximately one week before his departure, Lin ordered one of his **employees** to transfer to Lin's workstation copies of Cadence's **database** generation software software so sensitive that it was until then kept only by that **employee** and not copied onto any other Cadence workstation or file server. The **employee** complied with the order. In the eight previous years that Lin had been that **employee** 's immediate supervisor, Lin had never requested a copy of that software. In violation of the Lanham **Act**, Avant! has been waging a public campaign targeting customers, the media, and the financial community...
- ...has assembled a team of place-and-route engineers, many of whom are former Cadence <code>employees</code>, that Avant! calls "the dirty dozen." Cadence believes ...trust which go way beyond any conceivable standard of fair competition. The brazen and illegal <code>acts</code> alleged in our complaint leave us with no choice but to seek redress for our company, our <code>employees</code>, and our shareholders. "I want to emphasize that this lawsuit has only one purpose: to preserve and protect the intellectual property created through years of <code>effort</code> by Cadence's hundreds of <code>talented</code>, loyal and dedicated software engineers and other <code>employees</code> and, in turn to preserve and protect the investment of Cadence's shareholders in that...

...as to whether or not any crimes have been committed by Avant!/ArcSys or its employees , " Costello said.

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0222222 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT) Too darn tight Maglitta, Joseph Computerworld (COW), v29 n3, p74-76, p.2 Jan 16, 1995 JOURNAL CODE: COW ISSN: 0010-4841

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business unit and corporate IS, fine-tuned the system by eliminating data communications bugs and speeding database access. The two dozen or so scattered IS workers divided the work .

Corporate staffers in New Jersey helped locate good telecommunications lines to speed response time in Canada. In Spartanburg, IS people focused on setting up workstations and connectivity

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Winning Customer support

Vendors face myriad problems in providing quality customer support, and the solution more often than not is the Web.

Byline: Paul Desmond

Journal: Network World Page Number: 105

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Text:

... its WAN capacity to airports across the country. It hired Qwest Communications to lead the **effort** .Before too long, problems cropped up, says Paul Millard, Delta's vice president of engineering...

...customer care," Millard says. "I think it was a case of Qwest hiring the right talent and getting internal processes in place." Good service can - and does - make customers believers in...

... rid of customers." Where's the service?But vendors face plenty of obstacles in their **effort** to provide quality customer service, especially as they grow from start-ups to substantial entities...

... do with people - finding, training and keeping them. For Cisco, the key is to keep **employees** stimulated and engaged. That often comes down to training them continually to do their **jobs** better. "We do quite a bit of e-learning. We've got about 60 modules available to help train **employees** on processes, systems and capabilities in providing excellent customer service," he says. All Web-based, the modules let **employees** train at their own pace, even at home. But the training shouldn't stop with **employees**, says Currid, who advocates for vendors to come up with interesting, blanket multimedia training programs...

... When companies experience rapid growth, it's especially challenging to hire and train customer service **personnel** fast enough and put the proper procedures in place, particularly for dealing with major problems...

...fall to formalize a four-phase product development process with detailed checklists to complete before **moving** from one phase to the next. "A lot of us have experience like the ISDN...

... team making sure they all mesh. Such processes are no doubt important, but the real **action** in improving customer service is centered squarely on the Web. Forrester Research, another market research...

... say the Web is "critical," "crucial" or at least "very significant" to its customer service **efforts** (see sidebar, this page). "Today, about 86% of our business comes in via the Web...computer maker. To help solve the problems of customers calling in, Dell technicians accessed a **database** of troubleshooting information via the corporate intranet. This knowledge base increased in value as technicians...

... known problems. In December 1998, the company essentially gave its customers direct access to that **database**, Mehta says. Dell conducted focus groups and surveys and determined that customers were willing to...

... Jeeves Insight, Dell can highlight the top customer questions that contain no content in the **database**. The tech support team then quickly creates that missing content. MCI WorldCom is also interested...

 \dots network quality report on its Web site that details information concerning software upgrades in the **works**, maintenance windows and other issues. That will be rolled out at the beginning of the...

... personalization for its customers, with content specific to the customer's market segment and specific job, Schorsch says. "We'll probably see more wireless and multimedia solutions as well." Like many... ... rep will know about the e-mail and all other related history. Qwest has support staffers answering customer queries via e-mail during certain

hours, and lets larger customers send trouble...

... is really capitalizing on this huge opportunity," she says. "When someone does, I'll go work for them." Desmond is vice president of King Content, a strategic publishing company in Southborough...

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Talent Scouts

They excel at spotting, luring and keeping key players. Their advice can help you get discovered as a superstar -- or help you sign one up. By Dawne Shand

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The war for talent pervades the role of the CIO, who now owns as much responsibility for his employees ' career development as he does for information technology systems. We asked four top IT leaders how they find, develop and retain talent . What we learned will help you manage your career. BillGodfrey CHIEF TECHNology OFFICER, Dow Jones & Co., NEW YORK n How do you spot talent? The competencies that characterize talent go beyond skills and technologies; they are personal traits. Like self-confidence -- can you make...

- ... have a sound understanding of and genuine interest in the business? Are you willing to **act** like an owner? Can you rise above the pressure to conform? Can you advocate a...
- ... company develop these attributes? Institutionalize the language of core competencies. It's not just [a human resources] tool; It's the basis for hiring, performance management, promotion and leadership development. To execute, there must be organizational commitment toward individual development and the HR resources to connect individuals to development plans. You need a leadership team that empowers people...
- ...you give? Think in terms of two- to three-year building blocks. Be in a **job** where you're acquiring new skills. **Work** for leaders who challenge your intellect and passion. Associate with good projects, volunteer for the ...
- ... the specialization needed to solve problems. Get really good at the skills required for your job or team or industry. Today, you get ahead by acquiring skills that may look like horizontal movements. But if you keep adding to your risumi those skills and projects that lead to...
- ... sought after. ThomasWoteki CIO, American NATIONAL Red Cross, Falls Church, VA. n What attributes signal **talent** for you? We tacitly assume that people have the technical skills they were hired for...
- ... similarity to other requests and understand its impact on organization. n What career paths develop talent? As managers, we need to develop people as assets. That means managing personal relationships and building trust with our employees. We encourage people to come forward and say what it is that they want to do. We encourage people to look for opportunities. But we believe it's the employee's responsibility to manage their career. Management will offer to talented individuals opportunities that these people would find exciting and challenging and would stretch their abilities...
- ... stretch role, we pair them informally with a mentor who can guide them. n Is talent demonstrated by a willingness to learn new things? Yes, it's

about working on unfamiliar problems and renewing yourself. People exceed their expectations. Eight months ago, an HR associate working with senior demonstrated that she was a bright, talented problem-solver with the potential to be a good manager, but she had no IT background. We brought her into a program-planning role; she is now actively managing engineering efforts . It's been a remarkable transformation. n What's more valuable -- technical mastery or knowledge...

... someone else's head. BrianLight CIO, Staples Inc., Framingham, MAss. n How does Staples spot talent ? Talent reflects the culture of the organization. Staples is a rapid-growth, fast-paced environment with...

- ... look for confident and assertive people who can be proactive in identifying opportunities, who can work with ambiguity, have a strong desire to achieve and work well in teams. The best people, the high performers, aren't necessarily the most technically...familiar with change management as more people use these systems. n How do you develop talent? We employ extensive behavioral interviewing. We don't use it to weed out people but to develop them moving forward. These written reviews show how they perceive themselves and how others do. Given twice...
- ... goes toward professional development. There's not a shortage of technical skills, like networking or database administration. Our main need is to effectively work with the business side. Specifically, we look for 12 behaviors. Senior people must possess certain...
- ... and be self-starters. RonGriffin CIO, The Home Depot inc., Atlanta n What attributes signal talent ? We look for fundamental intellectual horsepower. But intelligence without personality won't work in this culture. Traits like openness, flexibility and an ability to change are important. We...
- ... in teams, enjoy making a difference and learning new skills. n How do you retain talent ? It starts with finding the right people -- those entrepreneurial and team-oriented people. Then we...
- ... same person might be playing a Java programming trainee role. I don't change their job title or their salary level. This de-coupling gives us the flexibility of assigning people...
- ... learn new capabilities. Row means you now use these new skills to get moving . Show means you can teach these skills to someone else. the boat We want people to develop...

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ASP attack

IT 'LL TAKE ALL YOUR WITS TO PICK THE RIGHT

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- ... browser, a thin client or an application-specific client. Many ASPs offer managed application and database servers, security, system backup, disaster recovery and service-level agreements (SLA). And with more than...
- \dots would outsource an application rather than deploy servers, obtain software licenses and gear up your ${f staff}$ to support a new companywide deployment. They are: to improve service; obtain a strategic advantage...
- ... the six chosen ISPs AGIS, Cable & Wireless, Digex, GTE Internetworking, Sprint and UUNET operate at **speeds** ranging from T-3 to OC-3. Most user organizations would simply find the availability...

- ... quickly and reliably from anywhere. Besides getting more bandwidth, you also want to think about **staffing** requirements when it comes time to evaluate whether taking the ASF route will help improve service to **employees**. That **staffing** aspect factored into Sunburst Hospitality 's decision to outsource its PeopleSoft financial applications to USi...
- ...we could provide internally, from a 24-7 help desk to redundancy." About 25 Sunburst **employees**, each outfitted with a PeopleSoft client, access financial applications today over a private line in to USi 's Annapolis data center 40 miles away. Most of the **employees** frequently use the general ledger, accounts payable and asset management tools that are part of...
- ... PeopleSoft financials program. But Elbaum says he plans on providing application access to 4,000 employees, at all 87 Sunburst hotels, over the Internet by year-end. These additional employees will simply be viewing screens as opposed to running reports and processes, as the two dozen or so heavy users have been doing since January. Staffing concern was a big factor in Elbaum 's decision. "It 's very hard to find talent. Anyone who knows PeopleSoft demands a high premium some of the people with a year applications talent in-house. Most say that even if they could afford to hire experts in ERM and CRM applications, they don 't feel confident they could retain those employees over an extended period of time. Outsourcing also gives small to midsize companies, as well...
- ...as the big guys," says David Blumhorst, director of IT at Clarent, which has 250 **employees**. And the company certainly needs to be concerned about competitive advantages because it 's up...
- ...would have outgrown an internal midtier CRM application in three to four years, based on **employee** growth predictions. So not only does application outsourcing put Clarent on a similar playing field...
- ... example. The ASP charges anywhere from \$20,000 to \$200,000 for PeopleSoft financials and human resources, \$25,000 for Siebel ERM, and \$15,000 to \$20,000 for Sagent data warehousing application hosting services. The rates vary based on the number of employees accessing the applications and the number of servers hosted and managed by USi.At first
- ... you \$2,495 and \$1,795, respectively, for a dedicated T-1 operating at full **speed**. So using the Internet as your means of accessing your ASP 's data center can...
- ... security portfolio carefully. USi, for instance, offers real-time intrusion detection and firewall options, and works with each customer to determine if additional security technology, such as digital certificates, is needed...
- ... support up to 128-bit key encryption. Certain sensitive applications, such as company financials or **employee** records, may even warrant the use of digital certificates. Handing over your company 's sensitive financial, sales or **human** resources information to an ASP that will host that information on application and **database** servers hundreds of miles away from your headquarters is a huge responsibility. Ensuring that this... accounting information exposed to such a wide-access arena like the public 'Net. BayValve gives **employees** access to an accounting software package hosted by InSynQ, an ASP in Roseville, Calif. It uses a frame relay connection into a firewall at InSynQ 's site. **Employees** have to clear the firewall before gaining access to the Citrix server running the accounting
- ... The telcos and outsourcing giants like EDS are going to wake up and get their acts together," she says. Many of the large telecom carriers, including AT&T and MCI WorldCom...

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A political theory of corporate taxation.

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- ... Harv. L. Rev. 717, 721-38 (1981); Eric Zolt, Corporate Taxation After the Tax Reform Act of 1986: A State of Disequilibrium, 66 N.C. L. Rev. 839, 841-44, 858...
- ...62. Indeed, concern about excessive leveraging has been one of the driving forces behind integration **efforts**. See Corporate Taxes: Treasury Official, JCT Head Review Corporate Integration Approaches, Daily Rep. for Executives...
- ...G-9 (Feb. 6, 1990) [hereinafter Corporate Taxes] (quoting Joint Committee on Taxation Chief of **Staff** Ronald Pearlman as saying that partial integration would resolve problems created by debt-equity distinction...and Shareholder Tax Systems (1993). (18.) See David F. Bradford & U.S. Treasury Tax Policy **Staff**, Blueprints for Basic Tax Reform 4-5, 171 (2d ed. 1984) (slightly revised edition of...
- ...testimony of William Simon, Secretary of the Treasury). The proposal was reiterated in Tax Reform Act of 1975: Hearings Before the Senate Comm. on Finance, 94th Cong., 2d Sess. 70-77...
- ...Corporate Taxes, supra note 13, at G-9 (reporting Joint Committee on Taxation Chief of **Staff** Ronald Pearlman's suggestion that double taxation is political necessity). (22.) Shaviro, supra note 21...
- ...the population is covered by a pension, most pensions are defined-benefit plans in which **employees** have no stake in the return. (26.) Cf. Marjorie Kornhauser, The Morality of Money: American...1978, Congress did not adopt Ullman's integration proposal, but passed the 1978 Tax Reform Act, which dramatically increased the tax benefits to new capital. Id. at 204-17. (29.) See...
- ...L. Doernberg & Fred S. McChesney, Doing Good or Doing Well?: Congress and the Tax Reform Act of 1986, 62 N.Y.U. L. Rev. 891, 898-99 (1987) (book review) [hereinafter...
- ...might stimulate growth, but respondents supported cuts when the question suggested that cuts might create **jobs**. One-third of those who supported raising federal corporate taxes to reduce the deficit said...
- ...someone else. See Lieberman Research, Americans and Their Money, July 1987, available in DIALOG, Poll database (search containing "MONEY" in SOURCE field and "07/00/87" in PD field and "DIVIDEND...306, 308-10 (same). Managers of publicly held firms that become insolvent often lose their jobs; those who retain their positions suffer significant reductions in their salary and bonuses. See Stuart...
- ...Rose-Ackennan, supra note 40, at 279-97 (arguing that managers fear loss of both job and prestige if firm encounters financial difficulties). For a discussion of the vulnerability of both...
- ...incentive to diversify the firm. Evidence suggests that managing a diversified firm requires special managerial **talent**, for which firms will compensate managers handsomely. See Nancy L. Rose & Andrea Shepard, Firm Diversification...
- ...33 (National Bureau of Economic Research Working Paper No. 4723, 1994). Managers with this particular **talent**, accordingly, may have an incentive to diversify their firms in order to maximize their value...from general revenues. See infra Part IV. (61.) See Mancur Olson, The Logic of

Collective Action: Public Goods and the Theory of Groups 147-48 (1965) (arguing that business lobbying is...

...Leveraged Takeovers, Forbes, Nov. 28, 1988, at 192, 192 (noting that business community sandbagged integration **efforts** during Carter and Reagan administrations). (66.) Interest in integration was stimulated by the report of...

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Brenner molds Kansas court into model for the nation

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...over as clerk in 1985, the Kansas court was running at full capacity with 34 employees managing an annual load of around 4,500 bankruptcy filings. Twelve years later, that caseload has nearly tripled, but through Brenner's efforts, the flow of paperwork and information has kept pace, despite a staff increase of just 22 employees spread over the court's three divisional offices. The key, Brenner said, has been technology...

...made in his 12 years as clerk. The first move he made after taking the job was to purchase three PCs, tripling the number in the office. His next move was to flatten the highly-specialized organizational structure of the court, allocating a larger number of personnel to case administration. This move later allowed Brenner - admittedly no technological whiz himself - to add...

...with a scanner that allows them to quickly enter images of court documents into a database. Once a document is entered, it can be cross-referenced by motion, attorney, debtor name, or creditor name. Brenner estimated that the system, the first to marry case management with imaging, saves two to three personnel -days per month in each of the district's three divisional offices. But the true...

...Eric Bruce, a partner in the firm of Bruce Bruce & Holt LLC, said Brenner's work epitomizes the concept of efficiency in government. "It's pretty amazing," Bruce said. "It floors...

...while I'm on the phone with them. I have 24-hour access." Brenner's work was recently highlighted in a session at the Court Technology Congress, an international convention of...

...generate a docket from information on a scanned document. Currently that function is performed by **staff**, requiring as many as 35,000 manual entries each month. The new system will be...

...credit for the Kansas District's success. Brenner said he was simply blessed with a **talented staff** and supportive court that allowed him to take a few risks. "I could save (money...

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Data sources disagree on Arizona wage trends

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...through 1993. Farm workers, self employed, and others not covered by the Federal Insurance Contributions **Act** . are not included in this report. For the public sector, October data are reported in...

...Census Bureau. For most industries, the major difference between the two sources stems from survey data based on one date versus the annual average of monthly complete count data. However, it may...of the private sector (due to an occupational mix much more tilted to high-wage jobs requiring high educational attainment), but in Arizona, state government workers earned 18 percent less.

The...particular policy concern. It suggests that state government will have difficulty hiring and retaining quality **employees** since those people can take their **talents** to other governments or to the private sector and be better compensated. Such a loss of quality **employees** would be counterproductive to **efforts** to increase the efficiency of the government. Based on the BLS data, salary increases well...

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Ambitious Memphis 2005 plan to be unveiled on Thursday

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...programs originating in Memphis that will focus on Memphis music; creating more venues for local **talent** to perform; and establishing a music council to facilitate music becoming the Memphis marketing theme...

... The steps that need to be taken to accomplish that include: coordinating marketing expenditures and **efforts** of all elements of the hospitality industry; lobbying for a larger share of the state...

...and providing more public and private transportation between attractions.

The fifth recommendation calls for training **employees** so visitors leave with a positive impression of the community. To do that will require ...

...and expand existing minority businesses. Some of the steps needed to accomplish that include: recruiting talented minority individuals and businesses on a national and regional basis; developing a data bank that list minority businesses and committing to helping those business grow; and creating an understanding...people from outside Memphis to meet the needs of local companies for leading-edge technology employees; funding chairs of excellence in technology and engineering and recruiting top professors; providing corporate funding...

...attitude by developing a sense of teamwork; and creating a communication medium to celebrate our **strengths** and victories and defragmenting the business community without being called racists.

The fourth recommendation is...

...system accountable for the education of all students by following the

plan's recommendations and **action** steps in the job skills development section.

The final recommendation calls for maintaining private-sector...

...reach its vision that is driven by the private sector and implementation through public policies.

Action steps in this area include: maintaining a balance between growth within the city and the...

...for every person to be connected to a seamless information utility where they live, learn, work and play; providing a favorable regulatory climate that fosters competition and liberates market forces that...

...s competitive advantage in communications technology to improve productivity.

The fifth and final development area, **job** skills, contains four recommendations and dozens of **action** steps (See related stories, Pages 8, 9.)...

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Employing GenXers

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Building A New Future - Manufacturers need systems that provide real-time data and the ability to change orders

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... food, automobiles, or toolboxes a supervisor or competitor is pushing for constant improvement and greater **speed** on all fronts. Today's manufacturing operations are full of urgency and demand. The biggest...

...enhance flexibility of operations, or make decisions based on real-time data. "Manufacturing industries are **moving** toward client-server applications that span the entire business," Piszczalski notes. True Promise But the...

...12,000 Sun Microsystems clones annually. Production information is contained on an Oracle 7 relational database that runs on a Pyramid

Technology Corp.'s Nile super-minicomputer. Ordering Made Easy One...

- ...operators at Waterloo Industries Inc., a Waterloo, Iowa, division of Master Brands, used to receive work orders by removing the top ticket from a Peg Board that was updated by the production control staff. The company, which makes toolboxes and metal cabinets, installed a client-server manufacturing execution system about the next item they need to work on. The PCs are connected via a Novell NetWare LAN to two 486 PC servers...
- ...customer due- dates and plant capacity. The Master Brands division is installing bar codes on workers 'badges to help managers track labor for reporting, payroll, and accounting purposes. "We'll be...
- ...says Alan Mangirch, a company manufacturing engineer. Manufacturers also are enlisting new systems to help **employees** make better-informed business decisions. Tom Du-bay, manager of forecasting and business systems at...
- ...ERP client-server systems are in full production. Moreover, he adds, "There is not enough talent in the industry to implement client-server systems." To combat the lack of trained personnel, several vendors have begun boosting their education efforts. Avalon established a Certified Avalon Implementer training program for consultants and users. Last spring, SAP...

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Working state administration system, job state administration system and working-job state administration system

Betriebszustands-Verwaltungssystem, Jobzustands-Verwaltungssystem und Verwaltungssystem für aktive Aufgaben

Systeme d'administration des etats des travaux, systeme d'administration des etats des taches et systeme pour administrer les etats des taches et travaux

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An administration system including; at least one job directory, for storing a file on a job, in which the job directory is recorded in a recording medium; a database for recording the working state of a working subject or of the job; a client terminal; an application software employed by a client user at each client terminal; and a working directory on a client terminal provided corresponding to the working subject and the job directory. In the administration system, if a connection state, between the working subject or the working directory corresponding thereto and the job directory, is changed, the application software records information regarding the connection state of the working subject onto the database so that the working state of the job is administered.

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A method of managing an information campaign having several tasks. Many of the tasks relate to processing of images. The method comprises centrally administering a campaign database (CD) and an image database (ID) and entering into the campaign database (CD) the contact data of the participant responsible for each campaign task (P11 to P62). The campaign database (CD) is automatically updated in response to the completion of a campaign task. The campaign database (CD) determines the contact data of the participant responsible for the next campaign task and automatically informs this participant about the completion of the preceding campaign task. On the basis of the relevant task data (P11 to P62), different resolutions of the images of the image database (ID) are produced.

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Failing resource manager in a multiplex communication system.

Verwaltung einer defekten Hilfsquelle in einem Multiplex-Kommunikationssyst

Gestion d'une ressource defectueuse dans un systeme de communication a multiplexage.

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ELECTRICAL COMMUNICATION, vol. 60, no. 2, 1986; M. THANDASSERI: "Expert systems application for TXE4A exchanges", pages 154-161;

ABSTRACT EP 310782 A2

A method and apparatus for detecting and analyzing errors in a communications system is described. The method employs expert system techniques to isolate failures to specific field replaceable units and attempts to restore the failing unit to service by removing it from service, resetting the resource and returning it to service if it passes retesting. The expert system techniques include detailed decision trees designed for each resource in the system. The decision trees also filter extraneous sources of errors from affecting the error analysis results.

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EXTENDED WEB ENABLED MULTI-FEATURED BUSINESS TO BUSINESS COMPUTER SYSTEM FOR RENTAL VEHICLE SERVICES

SYSTEME INFORMATIQUE INTERENTREPRISES A ELEMENTS MULTIPLES A ACCES INTERNET POUR SERVICES DE LOCATION DE VEHICULES

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French Abstract

La presente invention concerne un systeme informatique de transaction entre entreprises qui dans un mode de realisation prefere est destine a fournir des services de location de vehicules pour des utilisateurs a demande elevee comportant un portail de reseau Internet grace auquel l'utilisateur a demande elevee peut acceder a une pluralite de fournisseurs de services comportant un reseau informatique d'entreprise integre pour au moins un fournisseur de services de location de vehicules. Le reseau informatique de fournisseur de services de location de vehicules est configure pour l'interconnexion d'une pluralite de succursales de diversite geographique, presentant le catalogue de leurs vehicules de location disponibles et des programmes les concernant ainsi que pour la gestion de toutes les donnees de transaction concernant son entreprise. Le portail de reseau Internet permet une connectivite et une transferabilite universelles pour une association d'entreprises a plusieurs niveaux qui placent regulierement des demandes elevees d'achat de location avec son associe commercial et egalement les autres fournisseurs de services qui peuvent ou non avoir le meme systeme et logiciel informatique d'entreprise integre. L'utilisation du procede et de l'appareil de la presente invention permet de placer, de grands volumes de transactions de location, de les controler, de les modifier en cours d'operation, et de les conclure avec des operations de comptabilite financiere et paiement pratiquement sans intervention humaine.

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English Abstract

An economic value is assigned to an individual's contribution to an organization or a group's contribution to the organization, based on aggregating the contributions of a set of individuals). The valuation metric, called "EVi" (614) "Expected Value of the Individual" (614), represents a measure of human capital value for any individual in an organization. The EVi (614) measure, when aggregated for an entire organization, becomes a tool for evaluating the performance of the human capital management system.

French Abstract

Une valeur economique est attribuee a la contribution d'un individu a une organisation (ou a la contribution d'un groupe a une organisation, sur la base du regroupement des contributions d'un ensemble d'individus). Le systeme de mesure de l'evaluation, nomme "EVi"sup"TM" ("Expected Value of the Individual", valeur estimee de l'individu), represente une mesure de la valeur du capital humain pour tous les individus d'une organisation. La mesure EVi"sup"TM, lorsqu'elle est regroupee pour une organisation entiere, devient un outil pour evaluer la performance du systeme de gestion du capital humain.

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METHOD OF GRAPHICALLY INDICATING PATIENT INFORMATION PROCEDE DE PRESENTATION GRAPHIQUE D'INFORMATIONS DE PATIENT

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English Abstract

Claims

A system and method for graphically indicating patient information. The invention includes a representative image of the patient with icons (202, 206) to indicate or inform a health care worker of the condition of the patient. Each icon in a set of icons represents a condition available for use in describing the condition of a particular patient. Each icon is located at a predetermined position of the image in each implementation of the invention. After a user creates an image with icons selected for a particular patient (202 - 204), a fixed representation of the image (e.g., on a sheet of paper) is placed proximal to the patient (e.g., bedside) for visual conveyance of the patient's condition.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un systeme et un procede de presentation graphique d'informations de patient. L'invention comprend une image representant le patient munie d'icones (202, 206) destinees a signaler au personnel soignant ou a l'informer de l'etat du patient. Chaque icone d'un ensemble d'icones represente un etat servant a decrire l'etat d'un patient particulier. Chaque icone est placee a une position predeterminee de l'image dans chaque mise en oeuvre de l'invention. Apres la creation, par l'utilisateur, d'une image munie d'icones selectionnees pour un patient particulier (202-204), une representation fixe de l'image (p. ex. sur une feuille de papier) est mise a proximite du patient (p. ex. a cote du lit) de maniere a fournir une representation visuelle de l'etat du patient.

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COMPUTER-IMPLEMENTED WEB DATABASE SYSTEM FOR STAFFING OF PERSONNEL SYSTEME DE BASE DE DONNEES WEB ACTIVEE PAR ORDINATEUR DESTINE A LA GESTION DU PERSONNEL

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Claims

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English Abstract

A method, system and process for a computer-assisted staffing of employees (407) for a client (415). The system collects and stores, in a relational database (400), a large amount of information relating to the staffing of client's projects, including employee data (407), firm data (401), and order data (413). For example, the system stores timesheets (409) for the employees corresponding to the clients to which they are assigned; feedback (423) on the employees' performances is obtained and stored (411); and a large amount of other information. The information can be used by clients to manage and analyze personnel functions, to manage and analyze financial functions, to select from a roster of candidate employees, and to make future projections. Additionally, the information can be used by employees to track their performance, and personnel functions (403) such as accrued vacation. The system actively seeks information to ensure accuracy of the stored data. The database is web-enabled and is accessible via the internet.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne une methode, un systeme et un procede de gestion du personnel (407) assistes par ordinateur au profit d'un client (415). Le systeme collecte et stocke, dans une base de donnees relationnelle (400), une grande quantite d'informations relatives aux projets du clients pour fournir du personnel, notamment des donnees relatives aux employes (407), a la societe (401), aux offres d'emploi (413). Le systeme stocke, par exemple, des releves de temps (409) pour les employes correspondants aux

clients par lesquels leur a ete assigne le travail; la retroaction (423) concernant les performances des employes est obtenues et stockees (411), ainsi qu'une grande quantite d'autres informations. Ces informations peuvent etre utilisees par les clients afin de gerer et d'analyser les fonctions du personnel, les fonctions financieres, afin d'effectuer une selection parmi une liste d'employes candidats, et afin d'effectuer des previsions. En outre, elles peuvent etre utilisees par des employes afin de consulter leurs performances, et leurs fonctions personnelles (403), telles que des absences accrues. Le systeme recherche activement des informations afin d'assurer l'exactitude des donnees stockees. La base de donnees est activee par le Web et accessible via Internet.

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Claims

This invention provides a novel system and method for bench marking (3) an industry affinity group member against other comparable members, by

efficiently gathering information characterizing each member, calculating indicators for each member based upon the data characterizing each member, by comparing the values for the indicators for one member to values for indicators for similar members, and by providing to a user (4) the results of the comparison, and it provides a novel database of information including company (5) information and associated employee status information. In addition, the invention provides means for automatically identifying, offering and selling member improvement products and services to the user (4) based upon the bench mark comparisons. Also available is a peer group forum enabling the user to get self help improvements.

French Abstract

La presente invention concerne un systeme et un procede d'analyses comparatives (3) entre membres d'un groupe d'affinites professionnelles par rapport a d'autres membres comparables. A cet effet, on recueille de l'information caracterisant chaque membre, et on calcule des indicateurs pour chaque membre en fonction des donnees caracterisant chaque membre. On compare ensuite les valeurs attribuees aux indicateurs d'un membre aux valeurs attribuees aux indicateurs de membres similaires, et on fournit a un utilisateur (4) les resultats de la comparaison, ce qui donne une nouvelle base de donnees d'information incluant l'information d'entreprise (5) et l'information sur l'etat du personnel associe. En outre, l'invention donne des moyens pour identifier automatique, offrir et vendre aux utilisateurs (4) des produits et services de perfectionnement des membres sur la base des comparaisons de l'analyse comparative. L'invention concerne egalement un forum de groupe de pairs permettant a l'utilisateur d'obtenir des ameliorations dans l'auto-assistance.

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INTERACTIVE MULTI MEDIA USER INTERFACE USING AFFINITY BASED CATEGORIZATION INTERFACE UTILISATEUR MULTIMEDIA INTERACTIVE UTILISANT UNE CATEGORISATION PAR AFFINITE

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English Abstract

Computing devices capable of internetworking and receiving, storing a viewing programmed (scheduled) television and multimedia content provide a platform for access to a combination of Internet and Television content and services. On this platform, a mix of pre-scripted and live interactive dialog (chat with offered responses) are broadcast by a connected server or servers to provide supplemental entertainment, information regarding programmed content, enhancements to scheduled television advertising, a community experience, and an interface to Internet applications and services. The dialog provides a "Social Interface" allowing fictional and non-fictional characters to interact with viewers. The fictional and non-fictional characters are each emblematic of a specific affinity group categorization, which a user personally identifies with and is drawn to. Selection of an affinity character also provides a filter for selecting internet and broadcast content associated with that character. Second level content is also associated with and mediated by each character. This provide e commerce opportunities whereby sponsors can direct advertising content based upon factors such as the relative popularity of each character or the demographic group associated with each character.

French Abstract

La presente invention concerne des dispositifs informatiques qui peuvent travailler sur l'Internet, recevoir et stocker un contenu d'ecoute de television programme (a horaire fixe) et un contenu multimedia, qui offrent une plate-forme permettant d'acceder a une combinaison de contenus et de services Internet et de television. Sur cette plate-forme, un melange de dialogues interactifs en direct et pre-ecrits (discussions avec reponses offertes) est diffuse par un serveur ou des serveurs connectes de facon a offrir des divertissements supplementaires, des informations relatives a un contenu programme, des ameliorations de publicites de television programmees, une experience communautaire et une interface destinee a des applications et des services Internet. Le dialogue fournit une <=interface sociale>= permettant a des personnages de fiction ou non d'interagir avec des visionneurs. Ces personnages de fiction ou non sont tous emblematiques d'une categorisation par groupes d'affinite specifique, avec lequel un utilisateur s'identifie personnellement et pour lequel il se sent attire. La selection d'un personnage par affinite permet aussi de filtrer une selection de contenu diffuses et de contenu Internet associee a ce personnage. Un contenu de second niveau est egalement associe a ce personnage et induit par celui-ci. Ceci offre des possibilites de commerce electronique dans lequel des sponsors peuvent diriger un contenu publicitaire fonde sur des facteurs tels que la popularite relative de chaque personnage ou le groupe demographique associe a chaque personnage.

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A computer-based system and method are provided for managing steps of a project development and management process. The process may involve the progression of an idea (200) from a project idea evaluation step (202) to a preliminary project feasibility step. The project idea evaluation step (202) requires the evaluation of the idea (200) by a reviewer for a decision on whether to proceed. An idea submission document (500) having information fields for capturing information about the idea is stored in a database associated with the system and is provided to the reviewer. In response to a decision received from the reviewer as to whether the idea should progress, a project definition document having information fields in common with those in the idea submission document is stored in the database, the common fields being copied automatically.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un systeme et un procede informatiques concus pour gerer les etapes d'un processus de mise au point et de gestion de projet. Dans ledit processus, il peut s'agir de l'avancement d'une idee (200) de l'etape d'evaluation (202) d'une idee de projet a l'etape preliminaire de faisabilite du projet. L'etape d'evaluation (202) exige l'evaluation de l'idee par un examinateur qui decidera de la, ou de ne pas la poursuivre. Ledit examinateur recoit un document de soumission (500) d'idee, stocke dans une base de donnees associee au systeme, qui contient des champs d'informations destines a la saisie d'informations concernant l'idee. En reponse a la decision emanant de l'examinateur quant a la poursuite eventuelle de l'idee, on stocke, dans la base de donnees, un document de definition de projet contenant, en commun avec le document de soumission d'idee, des champs d'informations, les champs en commun etant copies automatiquement.

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ANY-TO-ANY COMPONENT COMPUTING SYSTEM

SYSTEME INFORMATIQUE A COMPOSANTS TOUTE CATEGORIE

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Claims

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English Abstract

A universal data and software structure and method for an Any-to-Any computing machine in which any number of any components can be related to any number of any other components in a manner that is not intrinsically hierarchical and is intrinsically unlimited. The structure and method includes a Concept Hierarchy; each concept or assembly of concepts is uniquely identified and assigned a number in a Numbers Concept Language or uniquely identified in a Non-numbers Concept Language. Each Component or assembly of Components is intrinsically related to all other data items that contain common or related components.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne une structure de donnees et de logiciel universelle ainsi qu'un procede de machine informatique toute categorie dans laquelle des composants, quels qu'ils soient et quel que soit leur nombre, peuvent etre rattaches a d'autres composants, quels qu'ils soient et quel que soit leur nombre, d'une maniere intrinsequement non hierarchisee et intrinsequement illimitee. La structure et le procede comportent une hierarchie conceptuelle; chaque concept ou ensemble de concepts est identifie de maniere unique et recoit un numero dans un langage conceptuel de nombres ou dans un langage conceptuel de non-nombres. Chaque composant ou ensemble de composants est intrinsequement rattache a tous les autres elements de donnees qui contiennent des composants

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French Abstract

enterprises.

L'invention concerne une structure pour la technologie de l'information

the several functions interact to form a structure that can manage data and information using computer technology in modern enterprises including

governmental and non-governmental organizations, and commercial

au sein d'une entreprise moderne. L'organisation contient les fonctions necessaires a assister une entreprise de maniere efficace du point de vue de la technologie de l'information. L'invention se rapporte a la maniere dont les differentes parties interagissent pour former une structure capable de gerer des donnees et des informations dans des entreprises modernes, l'entreprise etant une organisation gouvernementale, une organisation non-gouvernementale, ou une entreprise commerciale.

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A SYSTEM, METHOD FOR FIXED FORMAT STREAM COMMUNICATION IN A COMMUNICATION SERVICES PATTERNS ENVIRONMENT

SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET ARTICLE POUR FLUX DE FORMAT FIXE DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT A CONFIGURATIONS DE SERVICES DE COMMUNICATION

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English Abstract

A system, method, and article of manufacture provide a fixed format stream-based communication system. A sending fixed format contract on interface code is defined for a sending system. A receiving fixed format contract on interface code is also defined for a receiving system. A message to be sent from the sending system to the receiving system is translated based on the sending fixed format contract. The message is then sent from the sending system and subsequently received by the receiving system. The message received by the receiving system is then translated based on the receiving fixed format contract.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un systeme, un procede et un article pour systeme de communication a flux de format fixe. Un contrat de format fixe de transmission sur code d'interface est defini pour un systeme de transmission. Un contrat de format fixe de reception sur code d'interface est egalement defini pour un systeme de reception. Un message destine a etre envoye du systeme de transmission au systeme de reception est converti sur la base du contrat de format fixe de transmission. Le message est ensuite transmis depuis le systeme de transmission, puis il est recu par le systeme de reception et converti sur la base du contrat de format fixe.

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A SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR BUSINESS LOGIC SERVICES PATTERNS IN A NETCENTRIC ENVIRONMENT

SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET ARTICLE DE FABRICATION POUR STRUCTURES DE SERVICES DE LOGIQUE DE COMMERCE DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT S'ARTICULANT AUTOUR DE L'INTERNET

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English Abstract

A system, method, and article of manufacture are provided for implementing business logic service patterns for allowing reuse of a business object in a component-based architecture. An attribute dictionary pattern is used for controlling access to data of a business object via an attribute dictionary. A constant class pattern is provided for ensuring correct data at an attribute level. The patterns are utilized for reusing a business object which is classified as a business

component, a business service, and/or a business facility.

French Abstract

L'invention porte sur un systeme, un procede et un article de fabrication s'appliquant a la mise en oeuvre de structures de services de logique de commerce en vue d'etre autorise a utiliser un objet commercial dans une architecture a base de composants. Une structure de dictionnaire d'attributs est utilisee pour commander l'acces aux donnees d'un objet commercial via un dictionnaire d'attributs. Une structure de classement constant assure la correction des donnees a un niveau d'attributs. Les structures sont utilisees pour reutiliser un objet commercial classifie comme composant commercial, service commercial et/ou installation commerciale.

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A SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR A LEGACY WRAPPER IN A COMMUNICATION SERVICES PATTERNS ENVIRONMENT

SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET DISPOSITIF POUR MODULE D'HABILLAGE EXISTANT DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT DE SCHEMAS DE SERVICES DE COMMUNICATION

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English Abstract

A system, method, and article of manufacture are provided for affording access to a legacy system. A plurality of components coupled to a client via a component integration architecture are provided for servicing the client. A legacy system is interconnected to the client via the integration architecture using a legacy wrapper. The legacy system and the client are interfaced via the legacy wrapper by communicating with the client by way of a first protocol and by communicating with the

legacy system by way of a second protocol.

French Abstract

Cette invention concerne un systeme, un procede et un dispositif donnant acces a un systeme existant. Une pluralite de composants relies a un client via une architecture d'integration de composants est mise a la disposition du client. Un systeme existant est interconnecte via l'architecture d'integration au moyen d'un module d'habillage existant. Le systeme existant et le client sont mis en interface via le module d'habillage existant, la communication avec le client se faisant au moyen d'un premier protocole, celle avec le systeme existant au moyen d'un second protocole.

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A SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR A MULTI-OBJECT FETCH COMPONENT IN AN INFORMATION SERVICES PATTERNS ENVIRONMENT

SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET ARTICLE MANUFACTURE POUR COMPOSANT DE RECUPERATION MULTI-OBJET DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT CARACTERISE PAR DES SERVICES D'INFORMATIONS

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English Abstract

A system, method, and article of manufacture are provided for retrieving muliple business objects across a network in one access operation. A business object and a plurality of remaining objects are provided on a persistent store. Upon receiving a request for the business object, it is established which of the remaining objects are related to the business

object. The related objects and the business object are retrieved from the persistant store in one operation and it is determined how the retrieved related objects relate to the business object and each other. A graph of relationships of the business and related objects is instantiated in memory.

French Abstract

La presente invention concerne un systeme, un procede et un article manufacture destine a la recuperation de plusieurs objets d'affaires dans un reseau en une operation d'acces. A cet effet, on dispose dans une memoire permanente d'un objet d'affaire et d'une pluralite d'objets restants. Des la reception d'une requete se rapportant a un objet d'affaires, on recherche deux des objets restants qui sont en relations avec l'objet d'affaires. Une seule operation permet ainsi de recuperer dans la memoire permanente ces objets ainsi que l'objet d'affaires. Il ne reste plus qu'a determiner les relations existant d'une part entre les objets consideres et d'autre part entre ces objets et l'objet d'affaires. Une instanciation d'un graphique des relations entre les objets et l'objet d'affaire est conservee en memoire.

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SYSTEM, METHOD, AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR A REQUEST SORTER IN A TRANSACTION SERVICES PATTERNS ENVIRONMENT

SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET ARTICLE DE FABRICATION APPLIQUES DANS UN TRIEUR DE REQUETES D'UN ENVIRONNEMENT DE STRUCTURES DE SERVICES DE TRANSACTIONS

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Claims

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English Abstract

A system, method and article of manufacture are provided for sorting requests that are being unbatched from a batched message. A group of business objects necessary for a transaction are provided. Logically-related requests received from the business objects are grouped. Sorting rules and/or sort weights are obtained and the requests in the message are sorted and placed in a specific order determined from the sorting rules and/or the sort weights. The sorted requests are batched into a single message which is sent to a data server where the requests are unbundled from the message in the specific order.

French Abstract

L'invention porte sur un systeme, un procede et un article de fabrication utilises dans le tri de requetes qui sont desolidarisees d'un message traite par lots. L'invention porte egalement sur un groupe d'objets commerciaux destines a etre utilises dans une transaction. Les requetes relatives a une logique et provenant d'objets commerciaux sont groupees. Des regles et/ou des poids de tri sont obtenus et les requetes du message sont triees et placees dans un ordre specifique, determine a partir des regles et/ou des poids de tri. Les requetes triees sont traitees par lots dans un message unique qui est envoye a un serveur de donnees ou les requetes sont desolidarisees du message dans l'ordre specifique.

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A SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR A REFRESHABLE PROXY POOL IN A COMMUNICATION ENVIRONMENT

SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET ARTICLE POUR GROUPE D'ELEMENTS MANDATAIRES (PROXY)
RAFRAICHISSABLES DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT A CONFIGURATIONS DE SERVICES DE
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English Abstract

A system, method, and article of manufacture are provided for interfacing a naming service and a client with the naming service allowing access to a plurality of different sets of services from a plurality of globally addressable interfaces. The naming service calls for receiving locations of the global addressable interfaces. As a result of the calls, proxies are generated based on the received locations of the global addressable interfaces. The proxies are received in an allocation queue where the proxies are then allocated in a proxy pool. Access to the proxies in the proxy pool is allowed for identifying the location of one of the global addressable interfaces in response to a request received from the client.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un systeme, un procede et un article permettant d'assurer l'interface entre un service de denomination et un client, le service de denomination donnant acces a plusieurs series de services a partir de plusieurs interfaces globalement adressables. Le service de denomination etablit des appels pour recevoir les emplacements des interfaces globalement adressables. Suite aux appels en question, les elements proxy sont etablis sur la base des emplacements recus pour les interfaces globalement adressables. Ces elements sont recus dans une file d'attente d'affectation puis attribues a un groupe d'elements proxy depuis la file d'attente. L'acces aux elements de ce groupe est autorise pour identifier l'emplacement de l'une des interfaces globalement adressables, en reponse a une demande recue de la part d'un client.

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A SYSTEM, METHOD AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE FOR A HOST FRAMEWORK DESIGN IN AN E-COMMERCE ARCHITECTURE

SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET ARTICLE DE PRODUCTION DESTINES A LA CONCEPTION D'UNE STRUCTURE D'ORDINATEUR CENTRAL DANS UNE ARCHITECTURE DE COMMERCE ELECTRONIQUE

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Claims

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English Abstract

A system, method and article of manufacture are provided for accessing services within a server without a need for knowledge of an application program interface of the server. A role container is first created. Next, a role class is defined and an attribute for the role class is generated which includes a default start page attribute. In the role container, a role object is made in the role class with the default start page attribute associated therewith. A uniform resource locator is selected for the default start page attribute.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un systeme, un procede et un article de production permettant d'acceder a des services a l'interieur d'un serveur sans avoir necessairement la connaissance d'une interface de programme d'application du serveur. Un contenant de role est tout d'abord cree. Ensuite, une classe de role est definie et un attribut pour la classe de role est produit lequel contient un attribut de page d'ouverture implicite. Dans le contenant de role, un objet de role est produit dans la classe de role avec l'attribut de page d'ouverture implicite lui etant associe. Un localisateur de ressource uniforme est selectionne pour l'attribut de la page d'ouverture implicite.

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METHOD FOR TRAVERSING A FLOWCHART METHODE POUR SUIVRE UN ORGANIGRAMME

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Claims

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English Abstract

A guidance application (54) retrieves information from a database (50) and an expert system (52) and guides the user through a process, in lieu of a flowchart (150, 550, 710). A system and method is provided for guiding a user through a complex process having a plurality of steps. A user with little or no knowledge of the process may use the system to complete the process. The guidance system includes a model of the logical structure of the process steps and guidance pages which provide the user with additional information. The guidance pages may be dynamically or statically generated, and are easily customizable.

French Abstract

L'invention porte: sur une application de guidage (54) capable de rechercher des informations dans une base de donnees (50) et dans des systemes experts (52) et guidant l'utilisateur dans un processus se substituant a un organigramme (150, 550, 710); et sur le systeme et le procede associes qui guident l'utilisateur dans un processus complexe en plusieurs etapes. Un utilisateur ne connaissant que peu ou pas le processus peut utiliser le systeme pour parachever ledit processus. Le systeme de guidage comporte un modele de structure logique des etapes du processus et des pages de guidage fournissant a l'utilisateur des informations supplementaires. Lesdites pages, elaborables dynamiquement ou statiquement, sont facilement personnalisables.

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APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MONITORING AND MAINTAINING PLANT EQUIPMENT DISPOSITIF ET PROCEDE DE SURVEILLANCE ET ENTRETIEN D'INSTALLATIONS MATERIELLES

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Claims

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English Abstract

A computer system implements a process for gathering, synthesizing, and analyzing data relating to a pump and/or seal or other rotating equipment failure. Data indicating the current state of the equipment is gathered and verified prior to a failure occurring so that accurate information is available. After a failure or problem occurs, data about the problem or failure are methodically gathered to aid in the determination of the root cause of the failure. In particular, visual images of failure modes are provided to the user to ensure that proper and accurate data are obtained. A user also is directed to gather other data about the failure and the system. After data relating to the problem or failure has been gathered, the data are synthesized and an analysis is performed to determine the root cause of the failure or problem.

French Abstract

Ce systeme informatique met en oeuvre un procede de collecte, synthese et analyse de donnees relatives a une defaillance de materiel du type pompe et/ou scellement ou autre materiel rotatif. Ce procede consiste a recueillir et verifier des donnees indiquant l'etat actuel du materiel, avant la survenue de la defaillance, de facon a disposer d'informations precises, et, lors de la survenue d'une defaillance ou d'un probleme, a recueillir de facon methodique des donnees relatives a ce probleme ou a cette defaillance, afin de faciliter la determination de la cause fondamentale de la defaillance, des images visuelles des modes de defaillance etant notamment fournies a l'utilisateur afin que celui-ci puisse obtenir des donnees pertinentes et precises ; le procede consiste egalement a guider un utilisateur dans la collecte d'autres donnees relatives a la defaillance et au systeme, de meme qu'apres collecte des donnees relatives au probleme ou a la defaillance, a synthetiser ces donnees et a proceder a une analyse de celles-ci, afin de determiner la cause fondamentale de la defaillance ou du probleme. Ces divers procedes et dispositifs permettent a un non-specialiste d'identifier et diagnostiquer de maniere adequate une defaillance ou un probleme associe a une pompe et un scellement mecaniques. Apres determination, par le biais de l'analyse, de la cause fondamentale du probleme ou de la defaillance du systeme, le systeme propose des actions et plans correcteurs destines a la mise en oeuvre d'une action correctrice. Des instructions d'installation, des informations d'apprentissage et de securite peuvent egalement etre fournies a l'utilisateur, afin de permettre a celui-ci d'executer de maniere adequate l'action correctrice choisie. Un gestionnaire de fiabilite d'installations peut egalement surveiller la marche des installations et verifier que les corrections relatives aux installations, a l'entretien et aux defaillances sont executees correctement. Ce gestionnaire peut encore reperer des problemes ou defaillances, departement par departement, ou individu par individu, afin de determiner si un apprentissage supplementaire se revele necessaire.

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ADVANCED MODEL FOR AUTOMATIC EXTRACTION OF SKILL AND KNOWLEDGE INFORMATION FROM AN ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT

MODELE EVOLUE DESTINE A L'EXTRACTION AUTOMATIQUE DES INFORMATIONS RELATIVES AU SAVOIR-FAIRE ET AUX CONNAISSANCES DEPUIS UN DOCUMENT ELECTRONIQUE

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English Abstract

An apparatus, method, and computer readable medium for analyzing and extracting skill and knowledge information from an electronic document (104) and for storing the extracted skill and knowledge information into predefined fields or tables in a target database (110) comprises a content analysis and semantic network engine (216) for analyzing and extracting skill and knowledge information from the electronic document (104). A skill and knowledge information extractor (702) is coupled to the content analysis and semantic network engine (216), for determining a skill level for the skill information extracted from the electronic document (104). In a preferred embodiment, the skill and knowledge section processor (702) uses a non-monotonic reasoning principle to determine a skill level for skill information extracted from the electronic document (104). The content analysis and semantic network engine (216) further comprises a thesaurus (221) for linking together terms (402) and skill information (404), and for defining relationships between and among the terms (402) and skill information (404), and a semantic network (220) coupled to the thesaurus (221), for organizing the terms (402) and skill information (404) in the thesaurus (221), along with knowledge information (502) and categories (504), in a hierarchical structure.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un appareil, un procede et un support lisible par ordinateur destines a l'analyse et a l'extraction des informations relatives au savoir-faire et aux connaissances depuis un document electronique (104) ainsi qu'au stockage des informations extraites relatives au savoir-faire et aux connaissances dans des tables ou des champs predetermines d'une base de donnees cible (110), le procede comprenant un moteur (216) d'analyse de contenu et de reseau semantique qui sert a l'analyse et a l'extraction des informations relatives au savoir-faire et aux connaissances depuis le document electronique (104). Un extracteur (702) des informations relatives au savoir-faire et aux connaissances est couple au moteur (216) d'analyse de contenu et de reseau semantique pour determiner un niveau de savoir-faire en rapport

avec les informations relatives au savoir-faire extraites depuis un document electronique (104). Dans un mode de realisation prefere, le processeur (702) de la section du savoir-faire et des connaissances utilise un raisonnement non monotone pour determiner un niveau de savoir-faire en rapport avec les informations relatives au savoir-faire extraites depuis un document electronique (104). Le moteur (216) d'analyse de contenu et de reseau semantique comprend en outre un thesaurus (221) destines a lier entre eux les termes (402) et les informations (404) relatives au savoir-faire et a definir les relations entre les termes (402) et les informations (404) relatives au savoir-faire, ainsi qu'avec un reseau semantique (220) couple au thesaurus (221) et servant a organiser les termes (402) et les informations (404) relatives au savoir-faire dans le thesaurus (221), conjointement avec les informations (502) sur les connaissances et les categories (504), dans une structure hierarchique.

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English Abstract

A system for analyzing and extracting words and word groups from an electronic document (104) and for storing the extracted words and word groups into predefined fields or tables in a target database (110) comprises a content analysis and semantic network engine (216) for analyzing and extracting words and word groups from the electronic document and a heuristics engine (212) coupled to the content analysis and semantic network engine (216), for applying a set of heuristics to the words and word groups in the electronic document. The content analysis and semantic network engine (216) further comprises a thesaurus (400) for linking together terms (402) and concepts ($4\overline{04}$) and for defining relationships between and among the terms (402) and concepts (404), a semantic network (220) coupled to the thesaurus (400), for organizing the terms (402) and concepts (404) in the thesaurus (400), meta-concepts (502), and categories (504) in a hierarchical structure, and section processors (218) for analyzing a section in the electronic document (104) and applying a set of heuristics to each section in the electronic document (104). The system further comprises a document

pre-processor (210) for performing an initial analysis on the electronic document (104), a morphological analysis engine (214) coupled to the heuristics engine (212) for performing a morphological analysis and tagging of words and word groups in the electronic document (104), and a database interface (222) for providing an interface between the content analysis and semantic network engine (216) and the target database (110).

French Abstract

L'invention porte sur un systeme d'analyse et d'extraction de mots et groupes de mots d'un document electronique (104) et de stockage desdits mots et groupes de mots dans des champs ou tables predefinis d'une base de donnees cible (110). Ledit systeme comporte un automate d'analyse du contenu et a reseaux semantiques (216) analysant puis extrayant les mots et groupes de mots du document, et un automate heuristique (212) d'application d'heuristiques de mots ou de groupes de mots extraits lui etant annexe. L'automate d'analyse du contenu et a reseaux semantiques (216) comporte en outre: un thesaurus (400) en reliant les termes (402) aux concepts (404) et definissant les relations entre termes (402) et concepts (404); un reseau semantique (220) annexe du thesaurus (400) qui organise les termes (402) et concepts (404) du thesaurus (400), et les metaconcepts (502) et categories (504) selon une structure hierarchisee; et des processeurs de sections (218) analysant chacun une section du document (104) et appliquant un jeu d'heuristiques a chacune d'elles. Le systeme comporte de plus un preprocesseur (210) effectuant une preanalyse du document (104), un automate d'analyse morphologique (214) relie a l'automate heuristique (212) effectuant l'analyse morphologique et marquant certains mots et groupes de mots du document electronique (104) et une interface de base de donnees (222) placee entre l'automate d'analyse du contenu et a reseaux semantiques (216) et la base de donnees cible (110).

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METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING DATA AT A REMOTE WORKSTATION PROCEDE ET APPAREIL DE TRAITEMENT DE DONNEES AU NIVEAU D'UN POSTE DE TRAVAIL ELOIGNE

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English Abstract

A method and apparatus for processing at a remote workstation (14), data files that are compressed and collected into groups on a local area network (10) at a central location. The files of a group are transferred to the workstation over an ISDN switched telephone network (22) in response to automatic requests from the workstations. The workstation

requests depend on unprocessed files at the workstation as well as the time and date, in order to reduce the connection time. When files are received at the workstation the first is immediately decompressed and presented to the operator. In the meantime the next file which the operator is expected to need is decompressed in the background and is ready for processing as soon as the operator finishes with the first. When the operator switches to the next file the processing results are automatically saved and a further file is decompressed and held in a queue for the operator.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un procede et un appareil de traitement au niveau d'un poste de travail eloigne (14) de fichiers de donnees comprimes et rassembles en groupes sur un reseau local (10) au niveau d'un site central. Les fichiers d'un groupe sont transferes au poste de travail par un reseau telephonique commute RNIS (reseau numerique a integration de services) (22) en reponse a des demandes automatiques en provenance des postes de travail. Les demandes du poste de travail dependent de fichiers non traites au niveau de ce dernier, de l'heure et de la date de maniere a reduire le temps de connexion. Lorsque des fichiers sont recus au niveau du poste de travail, le premier est immediatement decomprime et presente a l'operateur. Entre-temps, le fichier suivant que l'operateur est susceptible de necessiter est decomprime en fond de sorte qu'il soit pret a etre traite des que l'operateur en a termine avec le premier fichier. Lorsque l'operateur passe au fichier suivant, les resultats du traitement sont sauvegardes automatiquement et un autre fichier est decomprime et mis en file d'attente pour l'operateur.

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PROACTIVE USER NETWORK

RESEAU PROACTIF POUR UTILISATEURS

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Detailed Description

Claims

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English Abstract

Apparatus and method are described for a proactive system for assisting the computer operations of an organization. The proactive system is shown to include a dictionary of operations (10) of said organization, an organizer (10) for organizing information entered at a first input/output device (18) in accordance with the dictionary of operations; and a transmitter (10) for transmitting organized information to a second input/output device (18) whenever the organization of information in accordance with the dictionary requires information to be transmitted. In one embodiment, the organizer (10) associates a current identifier to the information while the information is being organized in accordance with said dictionary.

French Abstract

Appareil et procede relatifs a un systeme proactif destine a assister les operations informatiques d'une organisation. Ledit systeme proactif

comporte un dictionnaire d'operations (10) de ladite organisation, un organiseur (10) destine a organiser les informations entrees au niveau d'un premier dispositif d'entree/sortie (18) selon le dictionnaire des operations, et un emetteur (10) servant a transmettre les informations organisees a un second dispositif d'entree/sortie (18) lorsque l'organisation des informations selon le dictionnaire necessite la transmission des informations. Dans un mode de realisation, l'organiseur (10) associe un identificateur courant aux informations, tandis que les informations sont organisees selon ledit dictionnaire.

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             OR MOTION? OR LIFTING? OR MOVING?
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S3
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S5
       131761
              MINE?) OR DATAMINE? OR DATAFILE? OR DB OR RDB OR OODB OR DBMS
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S7
                S6 AND (EMPLOYEE? OR WORKER? OR STAFF?)
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S8
          144
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S9
           42
                S7 AND IC=G06F?
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                S9 OR S11
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S13
           43
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                S12 AND S16
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                S6 AND S16
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WPI Acc No: 1992-175464/199221
XRAM Acc No: C92-080531
XRPX Acc No: N92-132293
  System for producing staff schedules - based on a function of available
  resources, employee skill, availability and priority
Patent Assignee: MRS FIELDS INC (MRSF-N)
Inventor: BLACKLEY T; FIELDS R K; QUINN P R
Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001
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Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 89417643 A 19891005
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US 5111391
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Abstract (Basic): US 5111391 A
        The staff scheduling data processing system schedules staff and
    management personnel at locations remote from the central location by
    applying central location policy to remote location data to ensure the
    optimum staff schedule for each remote site. The system included a
    database for storing and retrieving information. It includes central
    office policy, applicable labour requirements, tasks that need to be
    performed, skill levels required to perform tasks and resources that
    may confine or facilitate the scheduling of a task at a given time. It also includes relationships between tasks that will alter the
    placement or movement of a task on a schedule, employees with
    associated skill levels and priorities and availability, the employee
    's time that it takes to work on a particular task , and the
    positive and negative slide in relation to the task 's completion time
    by the employee .
        Upon request to create a schedule for a given day for a remote
    location, the system selects all the tasks to be performed on that
    day, and using historical data about the location, tha tasks , the
    skill required to complete the tasks , the available resources,
    employee availability, and central office policy, creates an optimised
    display of the required schedules.
        ADVANTAGE - Creates optimised staff schedule.
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Title Terms: SYSTEM; PRODUCE; STAFF; SCHEDULE; BASED; FUNCTION; AVAILABLE
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WPI Acc No: 2003-016152/200301

Related WPI Acc No: 2002-351054; 2002-750130

XRPX Acc No: N03-012075

Handheld electronic security apparatus for obtaining and utilizing maintenance data, has computer that compares identifying data of individual with identifying data stored in storage medium

Patent Assignee: THOMPSON R L (THOM-I)

Inventor: THOMPSON R L

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week
US 20020110263 A1 20020815 US 2000231913 A 20000911 200301 B
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Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2000231913 P 20000911; US 2001951021 A 20010912; US 2001965136 A 20010927

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes
US 20020110263 A1 23 G06K-009/00 Provisional application US 2000231913

CIP of application US 2001951021

Abstract (Basic): US 20020110263 A1

NOVELTY - The handheld electronic security apparatus (20) has a computer disposed within a casing, and a storage medium that communicates with the computer. The storage medium has a **database** of identifying data of several individuals. The computer compares the identifying data of an individual with the identifying data stored in the storage medium.

USE - For obtaining and utilizing maintenance data.

ADVANTAGE - Can be used by maintenance personnel to capture images of equipment or objects they are inspecting or maintaining as well as enter notes or detailed descriptions in writing or voice recording as adjuncts to the captured images. Wearable, battery-powered, voice or touch activated. Uses storage media preformatted with desired maintenance programs that could contain parts list, training material, instructions for use and instructions on how to accomplish a job at hand, check list, operation manuals, and other materials. Enables user to keep and maintain wear history on mechanical objects e.g. engine components, thus enabling user to make judgements on which part might fail prior to part actually failing. Uses any suitable camera to take pictures of equipment or objects. Ensures that digital maintenance file is mounted to system to be maintained, such that maintenance file always stays with system and can be accessed by maintenance personnel at any time.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the schematic representation of a maintenance system using the handheld electronic security apparatus.

Handheld electronic security apparatus (20)

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Title Terms: ELECTRONIC; SECURE; APPARATUS; OBTAIN; UTILISE; MAINTAIN; DATA; COMPUTER; COMPARE; IDENTIFY; DATA; INDIVIDUAL; IDENTIFY; DATA; STORAGE;

STORAGE; MEDIUM

Derwent Class: T01; T04

International Patent Class (Main): G06K-009/00

File Segment: EPI

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WPI Acc No: 2002-749478/200281
Related WPI Acc No: 2002-557766
XRPX Acc No: N02-590175

Faulty equipment identification method used in on or off-road vehicles and ships, involves keeping work order for equipment open until comment data indicating possible root cause for malfunction, is logged into work order

Patent Assignee: VROMAN D S (VROM-I)

Inventor: VROMAN D S

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week
US 20020087578 A1 20020704 US 2000258747 A 20001229 200281 B
US 2001839272 A 20010420

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2000258747 P 20001229; US 2001839272 A 20010420

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

US 20020087578 A1 26 G21C-017/00 Provisional application US 2000258747

Abstract (Basic): US 20020087578 A1

NOVELTY - A configuration management database (54) comprising detailed equipment data automatically issue a report identifying repeatedly malfunctioning equipment, when the number of equipment malfunction resulting in service activities exceeds equipment malfunctioning threshold. A work order for the equipment remains open until service personnel logs comment data indicating possible root cause for the malfunction into the work order.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is included for faulty equipment identification system.

USE - Used in on-road or off-road vehicles, ships, airplanes, rail road locomotives, trucks, industrial equipment, consumer appliance equipment, medical imaging equipment, equipment used in industrial process, telecommunication, aerospace application, power generation, etc., for identifying equipment repeatedly undergoing faults.

ADVANTAGE - The repeatedly malfunctioning equipment and the root cause for the occurrence of repeatedly malfunctioning equipment can be efficiently identified.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the block diagram of the faulty equipment identification system.

Configuration management database (54)

pp; 26 DwgNo 2/13

Title Terms: FAULT; EQUIPMENT; IDENTIFY; METHOD; ROAD; VEHICLE; SHIP; KEEP; WORK; ORDER; EQUIPMENT; OPEN; COMMENTARY; DATA; INDICATE; POSSIBILITY; ROOT; CAUSE; MALFUNCTION; LOG; WORK; ORDER

Derwent Class: S05; T01; T05; W06; X22; X23

International Patent Class (Main): G21C-017/00

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-007/00; G06F-011/30;

G06F-015/00; G06F-017/00

File Segment: EPI

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Related WPI Acc No: 2002-535596
XRPX Acc No: N02-341604
   Personnel assisting system for sorting mails and parcels, searches
  record that matches addressee information, based on which mail sorting is
  performed by operator
Patent Assignee: REED L P (REED-I)
Inventor: REED L P
Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001
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Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2000518257 A 20000303; US
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Patent Details:
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US 20020036160 A1
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Abstract (Basic): US 20020036160 A1
        NOVELTY - A microphone (6) translates a verbal statement from an
    operator into speech signals. A speech recognition unit (10) recognizes
    addressee information corresponding to mail, based on the speech
    signals. A processor (15) searches a database (20) for selecting a
    record matching the recognized addressee information. The operator
    sorts the mail item based on destination information in the record.
        DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for
    mail sorting method.
        USE - Personnel assisting system for sorting mails, letters and
    parcels in post office, government/corporate mail room and airport.
        ADVANTAGE - Maximizes the processing power, memory capacity and
    functionality. Allows the operator to simultaneously access multiple
    databases at a time. By eliminating the need for reading information,
    mobility is improved during sorting. Enables performing number of
    system optical functions without returning to the work site.
        DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the block diagram of
    the personnel assistance system.
        Microphone (6)
        Speech recognition unit (10)
        Processor (15)
        Database (20)
        pp; 20 DwgNo 1/11
Title Terms: PERSONNEL; ASSIST; SYSTEM; SORT; MAIL; PARCEL; SEARCH;
  RECORD; MATCH; ADDRESS; INFORMATION; BASED; MAIL; SORT; PERFORMANCE;
  OPERATE
Derwent Class: P43; T01; T05; W04
International Patent Class (Main): B07C-005/00
International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-007/00
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Related WPI Acc No: 2001-663283; 2002-292129; 2002-339628; 2002-557766
XRPX Acc No: N02-246900
  Computerized method for guiding equipment service personnel while at an
  equipment work site, uses an input/output device at the work site
  linked to a database holding details for health assessment and
  servicing of a selected equipment
Patent Assignee: GENERAL ELECTRIC CO (GENE ); MCQUOWN C M (MCQU-I);
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SCHLABACH J E (SCHL-I); SMITH M D (SMIT-I)

Inventor: MCQUOWN C M; SCHLABACH J E; SMITH M D; MCQUOWN C

Number of Countries: 095 Number of Patents: 003

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week WO 200217118 A2 20020228 WO 2001US12984 A 20010420 200235 B US 20020059269 A1 20020516 US 2000644421 A 20000823 200237

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Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2000258747 P 20001229; US 2000644421 A 20000823; US 2001839328 A 20010420 Patent Details:

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Provisional application US 2000258747 AU 200153750 A G06F-017/00 Based on patent WO 200217118

Abstract (Basic): WO 200217118 A2

NOVELTY - The guidance system uses a database (250), holding health assessment, servicing data, etc. for selected equipment. Service personnel communicate with the database (204) using input/output device (252) at the work site to select the equipment to be serviced (206) and access the database (208) to interface with troubleshooting wizard (251). Data is collected (210) and processed (212) to determine whether the equipment needs servicing and to what extent.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a computerized system for guiding equipment service **personnel** while at an equipment site.

USE - For guiding servicing or part replacement for generally complex equipment such as mobile assets including on-road or off-road vehicles, ships, aeroplanes, railroad locomotives, trucks and other forms of complex equipment including industrial equipment, consumer appliance equipment, medical imaging equipment, equipment used in industrial processes, telecommunications, aerospace applications, power generation, etc..

ADVANTAGE - By providing access to the **database** via a communication network, the system can provide service **personnel** with detailed information concerning parts content or upgrade status of any selected equipment, as well as providing access to guidance through **tasks** for troubleshooting the health of the equipment to determine the nature and extent of service needed.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - Two figures show a process flow chart illustrating operational details of a method for guiding service ${\tt personnel}$ and a block diagram of components of a system for guiding service ${\tt personnel}$.

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Title Terms: COMPUTER; METHOD; GUIDE; EQUIPMENT; SERVICE; PERSONNEL; EQUIPMENT; WORK; SITE; INPUT; OUTPUT; DEVICE; WORK; SITE; LINK; DATABASE; HOLD; DETAIL; HEALTH; ASSESS; SERVICE; SELECT; EQUIPMENT Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-007/00; G06F-017/00
File Segment: EPI

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Removal of solid particulate product, e.g. polyolefins, with gas from fluidized bed involves performing simultaneously product movement steps and equalization steps

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(PARR-I); UNION CARBIDE CHEM & PLASTICS TECHNOLOGY (UNIC)

Inventor: HARTLEY I J; LEAL G G; PARRISH J R

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 002

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US 20010034422 A1 20011025 US 99287371 A 19990407 200218 B

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Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 99287371 A 19990407; US 2001888169 A 20010622

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Div ex patent US 6255411

US 6498220 B2 C08F-002/34 Div ex application US 99287371

Div ex patent US 6255411

Abstract (Basic): US 20010034422 A

NOVELTY - A solid particulate product with gas is removed from a fluidized bed reactor by performing simultaneously product movement steps and equalization steps.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - Removal of solid particulate product from a fluidized bed reactor, together with gas from the reactor, through two parallel series of tanks comprising two first product discharge tanks and two blow tanks, involves (1) moving the solid particulate product with the gas into the first product discharge tank; (2) while performing the step (1), moving solid particulate product from the second product discharge tank to the second blow tank; (3) while performing steps (1-2), moving product from the first blow tank to a further destination having a pressure lower than the first blow tank, (4) after performing steps (1-3) passing gas from the first product discharge tank to the second product discharge tank and (5) passing gas from the second blow tank to the first blow tank, each step (1-5) being isolated by closed valves from any of the reactor, the product discharge tanks, and the blow tanks not necessary for the performance of the steps. An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a method of controlling the product discharge cycle of a fluid bed olefin polymerization reactor comprising compiling a data production rates, product types, and product removal parameters, and programming a controller to optimize the conservation of gas while discharging product at a desired rate during the product discharge cycle. The product removal parameters include resistance to gas flow between vessels for conserving gas.

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{USE}}$ - For removing solid particulate product, e.g. polyolefins from a fluidized bed reactor.

ADVANTAGE - The invention can ensure a high level of discharge tank system performance and at the same time free operating **personnel** for other **tasks**. The invention enhances the conservation of gas in the product discharge process.

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Title Terms: REMOVE; SOLID; PARTICLE; PRODUCT; GAS; FLUIDISE; BED;

PERFORMANCE; SIMULTANEOUS; PRODUCT; MOVEMENT; STEP; STEP

Derwent Class: A17

International Patent Class (Main): C08F-002/00; C08F-002/34

File Segment: CPI

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

(c) 2003 Thomson Derwent. All rts. reserv. 014185481 **Image available** WPI Acc No: 2002-006178/200201 XRPX Acc No: N02-005268 Manpower information providing server for enterprise, provides personnel information selectively in response to collection demand, based on stored discriminative information and work experience information Patent Assignee: FUJI XEROX CO LTD (XERF) Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001 Patent Family: Applicat No Patent No Kind Date Kind Date Week JP 2001282938 A 20011012 JP 200089674 20000328 200201 B Α Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 200089674 A 20000328 Patent Details: Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes JP 2001282938 A 6 G06F-017/60 Abstract (Basic): JP 2001282938 A NOVELTY - The server (10) provides personnel information selectively in response to a collection demand, based on the discriminative information and work experience information stored in database (20). USE - For enterprise for suggesting personnel . ADVANTAGE - Secrecy of the content of a job is maintained, since the personnel information without work experience information is provided by considering the competition relationship. DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the block diagram of the network system. (Drawing includes non-English language text). Server (10) Database (20) pp; 6 DwgNo 1/3 Title Terms: MAN; INFORMATION; SERVE; PERSONNEL; INFORMATION; SELECT; RESPOND; COLLECT; DEMAND; BASED; STORAGE; DISCRIMINATE; INFORMATION; WORK ; EXPERIENCE; INFORMATION Derwent Class: T01 International Patent Class (Main): G06F-017/60 File Segment: EPI (Item 7 from file: 350) 22/5/7 DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX (c) 2003 Thomson Derwent. All rts. reserv. **Image available** 013491962 WPI Acc No: 2000-663905/200064 XRPX Acc No: N00-491928 Real time computer monitoring method for manufacturing processes e.g. pick and place of components onto circuit board by indicating when count of defect occurrences exceeds database stored threshold Patent Assignee: MCMS INC (MCMS-N)

Inventor: STINE S G; TIEGS M

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

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US 6115643 A 20000905 US 9818076 A 19980203 200064 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 9818076 A 19980203 Patent Details:
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US 6115643 A 16 G06F-019/00

Abstract (Basic): US 6115643 A

NOVELTY - A track application (208) provides a user interface and receives input from the production operator at the work centers relating to defects. It then transfers defect information to the

database (204) where it is maintained .When defect thresholds have been exceeded, a pager is initiated to alert technicians and sends e-mails using Microsoft exchange (210) to appropriate individuals as defined by the alert applications (202).

USE - For manufacturing processes e.g. pick and place of components onto circuit board.

ADVANTAGE - The method identifies unacceptable levels of a manufacturing process on a real time basis, tracks defects to work centers, initiates contact with appropriate personnel for corrective action and maintains records of actions taken.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows a block diagram of components of the real time computer monitoring method.

Alert Application (202)

Database (204)

Track Application (208)

Microsoft Exchange (210)

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Title Terms: REAL; TIME; COMPUTER; MONITOR; METHOD; MANUFACTURE; PROCESS; PICK; PLACE; COMPONENT; CIRCUIT; BOARD; INDICATE; COUNT; DEFECT; OCCUR; DATABASE; STORAGE; THRESHOLD

Derwent Class: T01; W05

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-019/00

File Segment: EPI

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2002-328455; 2002-338275

XRPX Acc No: N99-149755

Player position determining and course management system for golf course

Patent Assignee: LEADING EDGE TECHNOLOGIES INC (LEAD-N)

Inventor: BINGEMAN K; COFFEE J; LECKER D L; PHAM T; RUDOW R W

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

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Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

US 5878369 A G01S-005/14 Div ex application US 95423295 Div ex patent US 5689431

Abstract (Basic): US 5878369 A

NOVELTY - A timer is provided in a stationary DGPS receiver (21) to output a pulse per second output signal to inform the user that the measurement of the user's transceiver position is valid.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - A golf cart (16) has a cart based unit (15) equipped with a DGPS RF transceiver (22) operating in conjunction with a land based stationary DGPS receiver (21) and with GPS satellites (14) transmitting GPS satellite signals. The DGPS RF transceiver has a CPV card (18) including a data processor for executing various tasks, classified as fast execution tasks and slowest execution tasks, based on the task completion priority schedule. Real time clock indicates the priority of tasks executed by the data processor. The data transmitted to and from all the DGPS RF transceivers are digitally modulated by adopting phase shift keying technique or frequency shift keying technique. INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for ball position determining and course management system.

USE - For golf course.

ADVANTAGE - Improves measurement accuracy of user's transceiver position. Enables to precisely identify, locate and monitor movement

of every golf cart. Enables to pin point location and analyze cause of bottle necks and improves play speed and player's enjoyment. Compiles extensive computerized data base to manage and designate staff personnel with accurate statistical insight into course operations. Enables to communicate with all golf carts conveniently.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the simplified diagram of a PROLINK system used in a golf course and the block diagram of the principal electronic components of the golf cart portion of the PROLINK system.

Cart based unit (15) Golf cart (16) CPU card (18) Stationary DGPS receiver (21) DGPS RF transceiver (22) pp; 0 DwgNo 1A, B/21

Title Terms: PLAY; POSITION; DETERMINE; COURSE; MANAGEMENT; SYSTEM; GOLF; COURSE

Derwent Class: T01; W04; W06

International Patent Class (Main): G01S-005/14

File Segment: EPI

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XRPX Acc No: N98-395184

Data-logging control system e.g. for plant maintenance and lubrication servicing - controls operations automatically for ensuring that specific tasks are identified by technician personnel and system controller

Patent Assignee: TOTAL PLANT CONTROL AUSTRALASIA PTY LTD (TOTA-N)

Inventor: DEBY K

Number of Countries: 082 Number of Patents: 005

Patent Family:

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Abstract (Basic): WO 9840865 A

The inventive computerised system monitors/maintains various operations including plant maintenance, using a **database** of the required **work** - **tasks** . These are down-loaded on to a data-logger with

LCD screen, in any selected format e.g. for a particular staff technician. The logger has facilities for entering data when a task has been carried out satisfactorily.

The logger records may be up-loaded on to the computer database to up-date the records thereon. The system enables identification of tasks not executed for whatever reason, since a signal may be fed back from a machine being serviced.

USE - For automatically controlling execution of plant maintenance/lubrication tasks etc.

ADVANTAGE - By using computerised, battery- powered data-logging system, protected against environmental damage during transportation, and keyboard entry of task completion data, with a counter for displaying work tasks to be carried out, the disadvantage of having numerous pieces of paper/forms etc. in circulation is avoided. Dwg.1/1

Title Terms: DATA; LOG; CONTROL; SYSTEM; PLANT; MAINTAIN; LUBRICATE; SERVICE; CONTROL; OPERATE; AUTOMATIC; ENSURE; SPECIFIC; TASK; IDENTIFY; TECHNICIAN; PERSONNEL; SYSTEM; CONTROL

Derwent Class: P85; T01; T06; X25

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File Segment: EPI; EngPI

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DISPATCHING SYSTEM AND DISPATCHING METHOD, AND MANPOWER MANPOWER COMPUTER PROGRAM AND STORAGE MEDIUM THEREFOR

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October 18, 2002 (20021018) PUBLISHED:

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APPL. NO.: 2001-140/49 [0] 251 FILED: April 03, 2001 (20010403) 2001-140749 [JP 20011140749]

INTL CLASS: G06F-017/60; G06F-017/30

ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a manpower dispatching system and manpower dispatching method allowing a dispatching side to precisely grasp the job performances of registered human resources, select a human resource having the job performance sufficiently satisfying the demand of a dispatch receiving side, and foster human resources having performances to be desired by the dispatch receiving side, and a computer program and storage medium therefor.

SOLUTION: This system comprises a manpower introduction server 7, a manpower dispatching server 5, and a job hunting member group J
mutually accessible through a network 3. The manpower introduction server side comprises a job hunting member database 7a and a job hunting data disclosing means, and the **manpower** dispatching server 5 side comprises a job hunting data retrieval means, a dispatch designation data transmitting means, and a dispatch consent sounding-out means. The manpower introduction server 7 side further comprises a skill-up
information transmitting means for transmitting skill-up information (including manpower fostering information necessary to foster human resources met to job offering member side).

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HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGEMENT SERVICE SYSTEM

PUB. NO.: 2002-203056 [JP 2002203056 A]

PUBLISHED: July 19, 2002 (20020719)

INVENTOR(s): FUKUI MASAHIRO APPLICANT(s): ID GATE CO LTD

APPL. NO.: 2000-403187 [JP 2000403187] FILED: December 28, 2000 (20001228)

INTL CLASS: G06F-017/60

ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a human resources management service system that performs, without installing specific facilities in a manpower supply company that uses this system, human resources management necessary for the business of the manpower supply company, and, particularly, can lessen the burden associated with the management job in the manpower supply company.

SOLUTION: The human resources management service system 100 is composed of terminal devices 3a, 3b and 3c of the manpower supply company and a human resources management center 2 that are connected through the Internet 4. If the issue information on the issue of dispatching a job seeker, the dispatch destination enterprise information on the enterprise of the dispatch destination, the track record that the job seeker has been dispatched, and the like are inputted from the terminal devices 3a, 3b and 3c, each piece of the inputted information is stored in a registered person DB 26 or a record DB 27 in the human resources management center 2. These pieces of the information can be called up from the terminal devices 3a, 3b and 3c when needed.

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PERSONNEL DISPOSING PROCESSING METHOD AND SYSTEM THEREOF, AND PROFIT AND LOSS EVALUATION PROCESSING METHOD AND SYSTEM THEREOF

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PUBLISHED: May 24, 2002 (20020524)

INVENTOR(s): YAMAMOTO RYOICHI

APPLICANT(s): TOKIO MARINE & FIRE INSURANCE CO LTD

APPL. NO.: 2000-338463 [JP 2000338463] FILED: November 07, 2000 (20001107)

INTL CLASS: G06F-017/60

ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To make **personnel** disposing of workers proper by taking difference of ability into account.

SOLUTION: A personnel disposing processing system includes a means 5 for predicting a job amount based on past actual record data and storing predicted job amount data in a storage device, a means 7 for calculating processing amount data based on at least working ability and work hours including presence and absence of workers and storing the data into a storage device and a means 9 for calculating and displaying data related to excess and insufficient conditions of labor power using the predicted job amount data and the processing amount data. Moreover, it may include means 13, 15 for receiving an adjusting method for excess and insufficient conditions of labor power and established input of amount and generating and displaying data related to the adjustment of work hours of individual worker in accordance with the adjusting method and the established input of the amount. Since the processing amount data is calculated based on worker's processing ability and vacation plan, it is possible to grasp

proper processing amount even if the worker having various abilities holds it.

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RADIATION CONTROL SYSTEM

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(Japan)

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INTL CLASS: [6] G01T-001/00

JAPIO CLASS: 46.1 (INSTRUMENTATION -- Measurement); 23.1 (ATOMIC POWER

-- General

JAPIO KEYWORD: R107 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- OCR & OMR Optical Readers)

ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To facilitate access control to a control area and gathering control of a dosage equivalent result by making work personnel carry a data card, arranging a gate control device in a boundary of the control area, and performing data collecting control by a management computer.

SOLUTION: A management computer 8 has data such as access permitting condition of work personnel and a database necessary for radiation control. A gate control device 11 for access control, a gate control device 12a to enter a radiation control area and a gate control device 12b to retreat from the radiation control area, are arranged in a boundary. Data such as an individual dosage equivalent and work time is read out by an IC card 10 through an interface 9 for a data card, and totalizing management by the database is performed. A control area permitting condition is also transferred into the IC card 10 from an individual database, and when passing through respective gates, access control of an operator carrying the IC card 10 is performed.

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ADMINISTRATION SYSTEM OF WATERWORKS DISTRIBUTION WATER SYSTEM

PUB. NO.: 09-221793 [JP 9221793 A] PUBLISHED: August 26, 1997 (19970826)

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INTL CLASS: [6] E03B-001/00

JAPIO CLASS: 28.1 (SANITATION -- Sanitary Equipment); 22.3 (MACHINERY --

Control & Regulation)

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To contrive to draft an operation plan of water for emergency by determining the change of a distribution water route and required manpower and computing the demand of water in a water supply suspension area and controlling a data base, such as monitor control of a plant and a distribution water piping route or stationing positions of water supply cars.

SOLUTION: For example, when an accident breaks out about a water conveyance pipe, an operation plan is drafted at an operation plan drafting unit 106 and incorporated from a monitor control system DB 119 at a current status intake unit 107. Then, a water feed pipe is set to the opposite direction at an operation improvement unit 108 where the amount of water storage in a service reservoir and piping route flow rate change and transfer are executed by a model execution unit 110. Then, the names of changed facilities and the contents of work are input, thereby determining time lag for the changed facilities from the sum of working time of personnel 121 and worker stationing time and computing actual time in the construction state. More specifically, personnel stationing start time is set based on the consideration given to time lag for the change of the construction state by using the personnel DB 121, thereby changing the pipeline flow rate. The operation plan is adopted at the operation plan drafting unit 106. The water supply cars are stationed to demand points in water supply suspension areas where drinking water and utilities water are supplied.

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WORK -CONTROLLING DEVICE UNDER RADIATION

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INVENTOR(s): KIMURA KIICHI MURAKAMI TOICHI

APPLICANT(s): TOSHIBA CORP [000307] (A Japanese Company or Corporation), JP

(Japan)

APPL. NO.: 04-346912 [JP 92346912] FILED: December 25, 1992 (19921225) INTL CLASS: [5] G01T-001/00; G21C-017/00

JAPIO CLASS: 46.1 (INSTRUMENTATION -- Measurement); 23.1 (ATOMIC POWER

-- General); 46.2 (INSTRUMENTATION -- Testing

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To provide a device for controlling work under radiation which can proceed with a smooth operation and at the same time can reduce the radiation dose equivalent weight of a construction-controlling personnel by remote- controlling a plurality of works.

CONSTITUTION: An ITV camera device 1 for monitoring work condition, a work condition input device 3, a call device 5, a radiation monitor 2 for monitoring the radiation dose rate of work field environment, and a work instruction output device 4 for receiving work instructions from a central control device side are installed at the work field side. A work procedure summary database 14 where data such as work procedure summary are recorded, a work information processor 13 for processing to output the information to the work instruction output device, an image information processor 11 for processing video image from the ITV camera device 1, a radiation dose information processor 12 for processing the radiation dose information from the radiation monitor 2, a mixed information processor 17 for storing the information and performing its output processing, a display 15, and a printer 16 are installed at the side of a central control device 10 for controlling a plurality of work fields.

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HOST DEVICE FOR PERSONAL COMPUTER COMMUNICATION

PUB. NO.: 06-276226 [JP 6276226 A] PUBLISHED: September 30, 1994 (19940930)

INVENTOR(s): YAGI KOICHI

MITA KENJI

APPLICANT(s): KAO CORP [000091] (A Japanese Company or Corporation), JP

(Japan)

APPL. NO.: 05-064181 [JP 9364181] FILED: March 23, 1993 (19930323)

INTL CLASS: [5] H04L-012/54; H04L-012/58; G06F-013/00

JAPIO CLASS: 44.3 (COMMUNICATION -- Telegraphy); 45.2 (INFORMATION

PROCESSING -- Memory Units)

JAPIO KEYWORD: R131 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Microcomputers &

Microprocessers)

JOURNAL: Section: E, Section No. 1651, Vol. 18, No. 687, Pg. 105,

December 26, 1994 (19941226)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To automatically delete a file in which data whose term runs out are stored in the **data file** of a host device for personal computer communication.

CONSTITUTION: At the time of data registration from a terminal equipment 2, the term of validity of the data is also registered. Then, the file whose term runs out is detected and automatically deleted by a delete processing means 18 activated synchronously with the **power** source applying timing of a host device 1 for personal computer communication or the present date updating timing of a calender means. Also, in the file whose term of validity is not registered, a fixed period is added to the present date, and registered as a default value. Thus, a **personnel** or **work** required for file management can be unnecessitated, and the valid utilization of a storage device can be attained. Also, the delete of the file can be prevented from being forgotten by automatically deleting the file. Moreover, an access to the information whose term runs out can be prevented from being erroneously performed by a user.

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SUPPORTING APPARATUS FOR EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE WORK

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INVENTOR(s): SHIMIZU SHUNICHI

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APPLICANT(s): TOSHIBA CORP [000307] (A Japanese Company or Corporation), JP

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FILED: September 05, 1989 (19890905)
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JAPIO CLASS: 46.1 (INSTRUMENTATION -- Measurement); 23.1 (ATOMIC POWER

-- General); 46.2 (INSTRUMENTATION -- Testing

JAPIO KEYWORD:R107 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- OCR & OMR Optical Readers)
JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 1226, Vol. 15, No. 274, Pg. 40, July

11, 1991 (19910711)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To make maintenance work efficient when maintenance works are planned, methods are confirmed and maintenance procedures are trained by providing the moving -image/movie information such as actual working

scenes for every working items in method manuals and procedure manuals, arranging the results, knowledges and the like in the past which are liable to be mistaken by maintenance personnel, and providing the results.

CONSTITUTION: An equipment-maintenance- work supporting apparatus 1 is composed of a maintenance- work database 2, a maintenance- work moving -image/ movie database 3, a maintenance- work -information control part 4, an image- information control part 5 and an inference processing part 6. The working information obtained from the apparatus is provided for users 7 employing maintenance personnel 1 and a designers 2. When the maintenance work is planned, the adequate maintenance information required for the preparation is provided. The dynamic images, projected images and the like are used together, and the sensible education in place of actual training can be performed simply at any time. The function for judging and evaluating the working processures is provided. The skills of the maintenance personal can be enhanced, and reliability is improved.

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s3	12303	STRENGTH? OR MUSCLE? OR MANPOWER? OR EFFORT? OR FREQUENC? -
		WEIGHT? OR SPEED?
S4	176	TALENT? OR PHYSICAL()(ABILIT? OR DEMAND? OR REQUIREMENT?)
S5	18581	DATABASE? OR DATABANK? OR DATA() (BASE? OR BANK? OR FILE? OR
	M	INE?) OR DATAMINE? OR DATAFILE? OR DB OR RDB OR OODB OR DBMS
S6	8952	EMPLOYEE? OR WORKER? OR STAFF? OR HR OR HUMAN() RESOURCES OR
		PERSONNEL?
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S10	1	S7 OR S9 .
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RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

ORGANIZATION TYPE: Corporation

STATUS: Active

NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES: 66

SALES: NA

DATE FOUNDED: 1992

PERSONNEL: Kennedy, A Eric, Sales Manager

REVISION DATE: 20011030

...retail, transportation, and medical industries. PIN provides application programming interfaces (APIs) to more than 25 **databases**. Its tools **work** with various wireless (radio **frequency**) handheld, wearable, and forklift-mounted terminals.

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01768685 DOCUMENT TYPE: Product

PRODUCT NAME: CompanionLink for ACT! & Palm (768685)

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RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

REVISION DATE: 20021217

...can synchronize 1,000 records in approximately 40 seconds. The Express edition of the program works with one ACT! database. CompanionLink for ACT! & Palm Professional includes the Category Manager feature, which allows users to combine multiple ACT! and...

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01651982 DOCUMENT TYPE: Product

PRODUCT NAME: PATROL Database Knowledge Modules (651982)

BMC Software Inc (467219)

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RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

REVISION DATE: 20020924

...to help administrators anticipate outages before they occur. The system employs automated intelligence features to **speed** maintenance and troubleshooting **work**. Employing PATROL **Database** Knowledge Modules, administrators can ensure database availability and performance. The system can scale to meet...

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01646415 DOCUMENT TYPE: Product

PRODUCT NAME: ET Enterprise 3.0 (646415)

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RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

REVISION DATE: 19980929

ET Enterprise 3.0 is an advanced **employee** timekeeping system that allows **employees** to record their time on their PC, creating a timesheet that is then electronically approved...

- ...automatically exported into the accounting, payroll or project management system. The timesheet screen looks and **acts** like a spreadsheet that provides an area where labor charges and hours are recorded. The...
- ...access to an Intranet and a Java-enabled Web browser. With online validation and approval, **employees** enter their time with little room for error, resulting in increased productivity and reduced costs. New features include an improved user interface including color blocking to define onwork days and company holidays as well as multiple, user- defined charge groups. The querying and...
- ...can create reports tailored to company or management information needs, such as Project Status or **Employee** Activity Reports. The product was developed using advanced, three-tier, client/server, GUI and relational database technologies and development tools. The result is a system that combines the power and user-friendliness of these technologies and project-centric functionality, optimizing the benefits of its **strength**, flexibility and project capabilities. Typical installation and administrator training takes a few days, while **employees** training can take as little as 15 minutes.

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01561657 DOCUMENT TYPE: Product

PRODUCT NAME: SoftMove Moving System for Windows 3.5 (561657

SoftMove Corp (602418) 343 Washington St

Brighton, MA 02135 United States

TELEPHONE: (617) 779-9500

RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

REVISION DATE: 19991129

PRODUCT NAME: SoftMove Moving System for Windows 3.5...

SoftMove Moving System for Windows 3.5 is a modular package for moving and storage companies, and related market segments, designed for easy and comprehensive information sharing. The...

...automate all aspects of company operations, including scheduling and dispatch with visual displays for trucks, manpower, storage and records storage; sales automation and tariff calculation for telemarketing and on-site estimates with a mobile computer; customer service; billing with detailed data on each customer's moving and storage jobs; operating statistics on service areas, advertising effectiveness, worker productivity and damage rates; and over 200 forms, lists, reports and graphs are included. The system...

...systems while providing an easy- to-use and up-to-date interface. For the smallest moving companies, it provides a complete customer database solution that stores information on customers and jobs , prints forms, bills of lading and reports and includes graphs on advertising effectiveness. 15 add...

DESCRIPTORS: Accounting; Client/server; Customer Service; Estimating; Freight Handling; Job Costing; Route Management; Service Industries; Shipping; Transportation; Trucking

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Product 01110573

PRODUCT NAME: QUICKSTART for MVS (110573)

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RECORD TYPE: Directory

CONTACT: Sales Department

REVISION DATE: 021231

BMC Software's QUICKSTART for MVS works with heterogeneous OS/390 batch applications that are running on DB2. Tapping QUICKSTART for MVS, IT personnel can identify multiple application failure points within complex computing environments. The system includes checkpoint modes...

...provide users with application restart and restore options. QUICKSTART for MVS also allows DB2 to act on database tables, supporting synchronization between databases 'working storage and sequential files. The system lets administrators define checkpoints for specific environments. In...

...QUICKSTART for MVS improves data availability and integrity. The product supports the control of checkpoint frequencies from outside applications, so users can make changes while jobs are running.

DESCRIPTORS: Data Center Operations; Database Utilities; Job Monitoring; Network Administration; Network Software

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PRODUCT NAMES: OpenLane 5.1 (793957)

TITLE: OpenLane Provides New Avenues To Network Management

AUTHOR: Woods, Darrin

SOURCE: Network Computing, v11 n4 p20(2) Mar 6, 2000

ISSN: 1046-4468

HOMEPAGE: http://www.NetworkComputing.com

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GRADE: A

REVISION DATE: 20020630

...are the World Wide Web server, the directory server, statistics collector, management services, and SQL **database**. The elements **work** together **effortlessly**, and its Web-based capabilities are impressive. One of OpenLane's new features is the...

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00112078 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: AppleShare IP 5.0 (653004); LANtastic Network Operating System 8.0 (000191); Microsoft BackOffice Small Business Server 4.0 (671746); NetWare for Small Business 4.11 (699314)

TITLE: Buyer's Guide: Server Software: Tired of Sneakerware?

AUTHOR: Latimer, Joey

SOURCE: Small Business Computing, v3 n9 p96(6) Sep 1998

ISSN: 1529-5117

HOMEPAGE: http://www.smalloffice.com

RECORD TYPE: Review REVIEW TYPE: Review

GRADE: A

REVISION DATE: 20001130

...guide to server software tools. Although very small offices, those with only one of two **employees**, can survive with 'sneakernets,' larger organizations need server-based networks. Server software is installed on ...

...and faxes, and link to the Internet. Computers running server software do most of the work of a network. AppleShare IP 5.0, LANtastic 8.0, BackOffice Small Business Server 4...

... Small Business 4.11 were reviewed and compared for ease of setup and administration, processing speed of server functions, and ease of setting

up client software on workstations. Microsoft BackOffice earned...

...IP 5.0, testers found performance too slow for file and print serving, especially when **moving** files to and from the server and workstations and processing of large print jobs . LANtastic was easy to install and set up, but, unlike the other products, is not...

...network operating system (NOS). BackOffice has many robust server modules including those for print, fax, database, Internet, e-mail, shared modem, and scheduling.

20/3,K/9

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00102754

DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Sybase SQL Server (695017); Cognos PowerPlay (243477)

TITLE: Full House, Data High

AUTHOR: Dukart, James R

SOURCE: HP Professional, v11 n7 p17(5) Jul 1997

ISSN: 0986-145X

HOMEPAGE: http://www.hppro.com

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Product Analysis GRADE: Product Analysis, No Rating

REVISION DATE: 20030221

...Cognos' PowerPlay are products highlighted in a discussion of data warehouse tools. Many vendors are **moving** into the market for midrange products and services for storage, retrieval, and analysis of company...

...increasing use of World Wide Web technology and corporate intranets has led to many new jobs for knowledge workers who need to gain access to data stored in warehouses or data marts. Hardware and database vendors are in a particularly good market position, according to analysts. Cognos says that about...

...to build enterprisewide data warehouses. Web servers often become data marts, a trend that further **strengthens** the midrange market.

DESCRIPTORS: Business Models; **Database** Management; Decision Support Systems; Information Retrieval; Intranets; Software Marketing; SQL; SQL Server

20/3,K/10

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00101848 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Microsoft Visual InterDev (648485)

TITLE: Make the Most of Your Web Site

AUTHOR: Naylor, Scott

SOURCE: PC/Computing, v10 n6 p150(1) Jun 1997

ISSN: 0899-1847

RECORD TYPE: Review REVIEW TYPE: Review

GRADE: A

REVISION DATE: 20020630

...of Web builders because it includes many otherwise standalone packages in one well-integrated application. Database integration is the true strength of Visual InterDev, which works with any Open Database Connectivity (ODBC)-compatible database to support dynamic Web sites. Users create ActiveX controls to add...

20/3,K/11

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Review 00094417

PRODUCT NAMES: Delphi 2.0 (507768); Envelop 1.3 (631906); Natural LightStorm 3.1.2 (631914); Optima++ IDE 1.0 (602906); PLATINUM ObjectPro (519065)

TITLE: A Garden Of Visual Delights .

AUTHOR: Feibus, Andy

SOURCE: Information Week, v586 p83(4) Jul 1, 1996

ISSN: 8750-6874

HOMEPAGE: http://www.informationweek.com

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Product Analysis GRADE: Product Analysis, No Rating

REVISION DATE: 20021226

... Technology's PLATINUM ObjectPro. All the tools reviewed run in the Windows environment, and they work with multiple vendors' databases without needing much extra effort . Tools reviewed are independent of any single vendor's database in order to gain full...

20/3,K/12

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Review 00094144

PRODUCT NAMES: Microsoft Windows NT Server (442674); NetWare (699683)

TITLE: Look before you leap from NetWare to NT

AUTHOR: Sundra, Raj SOURCE: Computerworld, v30 n32 p54(1) Aug 5, 1996

ISSN: 0010-4841

HOMEPAGE: http://www.computerworld.com

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Product Analysis GRADE: Product Analysis, No Rating

REVISION DATE: 20020819

...on an as-needed basis is more sensible and easier. Users should also expect increased database and system administration task loads when moving to Windows NT as an application server; a system administrator may be required. Other considerations...

20/3,K/13

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00093012 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review PRODUCT NAMES: ABC QuickSilver (627003); Micrografx Designer (420727)

TITLE: Micrografx snags Web graphics like QuickSilver

AUTHOR: Darrow, Barbara

SOURCE: CRN, v681 p51(2) Apr 29, 1996

ISSN: 0893-8377

HOMEPAGE: http://www.crn.com

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Product Analysis GRADE: Product Analysis, No Rating

REVISION DATE: 20030221

Micrografx's ABC QuickSilver and Micrografx Designer work together to speed downloading of rich-data files from the Internet to the desktop without a T1 line. The plug allows users to...

20/3,K/14

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00090682 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Dominion (613495); DP Umbrella for Windows SQL (378801); Response (613509); SupportMagic for Windows (267449)

TITLE: Saving time and users AUTHOR: Sullivan, Kristina B

SOURCE: PC Week, v13 n14 pN3(1) Apr 8, 1996

ISSN: 0740-1604

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Product Analysis GRADE: Product Analysis, No Rating

REVISION DATE: 20020923

Features critical to successful, productive help desk operation include **speed**, customization, automated paging, call management, **work** order requests, real-time **database** access, and network management integration. The help desk **staff** for an Atlanta bank uses Dominion client/server (C/S) help desk software, with an...

20/3,K/15

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00089792 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: OODBMS (830220); Database Management (830025)

TITLE: Are relational databases the safe choice?

AUTHOR: Taylor, David

SOURCE: Object Magazine, v5 n9 p18(2) Feb 1996

ISSN: 1055-3614

HOMEPAGE: http://www.sigs.com

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Product Analysis GRADE: Product Analysis, No Rating

REVISION DATE: 20020228

...relations is straightforward. Deploying a relational database with object technology does have several advantages. Relational databases

support high- speed queries, for example. However, they work best only with shallow object structures.

20/3,K/16

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00086820 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Workflow (833754)

TITLE: The rhythm of work AUTHOR: Kobielus, James

SOURCE: Network World, v12 n42 ps12(5) Oct 16, 1995

ISSN: 0887-7661

HOMEPAGE: http://www.nwfusion.com

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Product Analysis GRADE: Product Analysis, No Rating

REVISION DATE: 20010430

TITLE: The rhythm of work

Workflow software helps companies to re-engineer their business processes and increase the **speed** and flexibility of everyday **tasks**. This type of software supports **tasks** such as routing, review, revision, and tracking. Workflow systems may access a document or **database** management system, and most have a distributed architecture. These systems may take electronic files and...

...and present it as a single folder. The folder can then be routed to different **personnel** for **action**, e-mail reminders may be sent automatically, and a graphical display of the workflow process...

20/3,K/17

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00086083 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Microsoft Access 97 Windows 95 (387894)

TITLE: Access 95 Advances Database Design

AUTHOR: Dobson, Rick

SOURCE: Byte, v20 n12 p181(2) Dec 1995

ISSN: 0360-5280

HOMEPAGE: http://www.byte.com

RECORD TYPE: Review REVIEW TYPE: Review

GRADE: A

REVISION DATE: 20020516

...been added to build databases automatically, convert data tables from legacy designs, and simplify other tasks. Several wizards speed up development, and a Database Wizard has been added to offer preset designs for a variety of common database operations.

20/3,K/18

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00063627 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: ACT! 2.0 (019253)

TITLE: Take Your Act on the Road

AUTHOR: Castagna, Rich

SOURCE: Windows Magazine, v5 n5 p116(2) May 1994

ISSN: 1060-1066

HOMEPAGE: http://www.winmag.com

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Product Analysis GRADE: Product Analysis, No Rating

REVISION DATE: 20001230

...can attach contact records or other files to an e-mail message. Several users can work with the same database simultaneously, and ACT ! incorporates security measures involving log-in IDs and password controls.

20/3,K/19

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00062370 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: PSI:Origen 3.0 NetWare (324426)

TITLE: Origen 3.0 Automates NetWare Administration

AUTHOR: Staff

SOURCE: LAN Times, v11 n6 p68(2) Mar 28, 1994

ISSN: 1040-5917

HOMEPAGE: http://www.lantimes.com

RECORD TYPE: Review REVIEW TYPE: Review

GRADE: B

REVISION DATE: 20020630

...Origen 3.0 (for NetWare) is an excellent application for expediting some of the routine tasks of network administration. Origen speeds operations, by establishing database files of critical configuration parameters. Functions which may be enhanced by the use of this...

20/3,K/20

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00061343 DOCUMENT TYPE: Review

PRODUCT NAMES: Now Contact (459011); Norton Essentials for PowerBook 1.1 (431265); MacBankruptcy (493198); ACT! (019253); Legal Case Manager 1.2 (450626)

TITLE: Mac News for Lawyers AUTHOR: Saraceno, David A

SOURCE: Law Office Computing, v4 nl p30(4) Feb/Mar 1994

ISSN: 1055-128X

RECORD TYPE: Review

REVIEW TYPE: Product Analysis GRADE: Product Analysis, No Rating

REVISION DATE: 20010730

...legal office are outlined. Now Contact includes a comprehensive word processor, calendar, and contact management database, and it works with Law Office Manager. ACT ! is another contact manager with a word processor though it requires some work to customize..

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             OR MOTION? OR LIFTING? OR MOVING?
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      2865986
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File 347: JAPIO Oct 1976-2002/Nov (Updated 030306)
         (c) 2003 JPO & JAPIO
File 350: Derwent WPIX 1963-2003/UD, UM &UP=200318
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15/5/1 (Item 1 from file: 344) DIALOG(R) File 344: Chinese Patents Abs (c) 2003 European Patent Office. All rts. reserv.

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ACTION-ANALYSING METHOD

Patent Assignee: RELIGION HOUJIN KONGOUZEN SOUH (JP) Author (Inventor): KUNII TOSHIYASU (JP); SUNLINING (JP)

Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

CC Number Kind Date

CN 1067519 921230 (Basic) Α

Application Data:

Kind CC Number Date *CN 91103810 910601 Α

Abstract: The present invention relates to a method of analyzing movements which is based on the dynamics, including dividing human body or animal body into the portions forming minimum movement unit; entering the mode data of human body or animal body which is worked out according to the original properties and constrained conditions of the above-mentioned portions into the data base in advance, inputting the movements of analyzed object; using the dynamics to calculate the inputted movements; individually displaying movements and centers of gravity of all portions, forces acting on all the joints and moments, all the movements and centers of gravity and the forces acting on those centers of gravity and moments or superposing them on the mode of human body or animal body in the data base and displaying them on the screen, so that it can work out the true and scientific movements.

IPC: G06F-015/20

(Item 2 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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015068143 **Image available** WPI Acc No: 2003-128659/200312

XRPX Acc No: N03-102231

Workflow process system for industrial application, accesses node group database for group of work nodes, when generic node is to be executed Patent Assignee: CASATI F (CASA-I); SHAN M (SHAN-I)

Inventor: CASATI F; SHAN M

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Applicat No Kind Date Date Week US 20020161823 A1 20021031 US 2001842496 20010425 200312 B A

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2001842496 A 20010425

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

US 20020161823 A1 14 G06F-015/16

Abstract (Basic): US 20020161823 A1

NOVELTY - A database stores a group of work nodes referred by generic nodes. The work nodes define a work flow action and data items to be read and written, when executing the workflow action . A workflow engine accesses the database, when the generic node is to be executed so as to allow dynamic composition and modification of the workflow process.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are included for the following:

- (1) Workflow process execution method; and
- (2) Workflow process compiling method.

USE - For handling business process in industries.

ADVANTAGE - Since dynamic composition and modification of the workflow processes is allowed by the execution of the generic nodes, the changes in the work process is reflected without redefining the workflow processes and user intervention, hence the needs of the

customer is satisfied, effectively.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows a flowchart illustrating the operation of the workflow engine.

pp; 14 DwqNo 6/8

Title Terms: PROCESS; SYSTEM; INDUSTRIAL; APPLY; ACCESS; NODE; GROUP;

DATABASE ; GROUP; WORK ; NODE; NODE; EXECUTE

Derwent Class: T01; T06

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-015/16

File Segment: EPI

15/5/3 (Item 3 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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014785564 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 2002-606270/200265

Electronic drawing frames managing method based on internet

Patent Assignee: CHO S H (CHOS-I)

Inventor: CHO S H

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week KR 2002022749 A 20020327 KR 200212399 A 20020308 200265 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): KR 200212399 A 20020308

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

KR 2002022749 A 1 G06F-015/02

Abstract (Basic): KR 2002022749 A

NOVELTY - An electronic drawing frames managing method based on Internet is provided to enable a user to enjoy various masterpieces by databasing the masterpieces and similar images.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The method comprise steps of making a digital image of a work of art by paying for a reasonable royalty to a possessor of various work of art including a drawing, a still image and a moving image(s20), processing the outputted digital image in order to get a high quality image(s40), storing the processed digital image in a database of a service provider(s60), a user accessing to a web server of service provider as a member(s60), the user selecting a plurality of works of art by searching the database after authenticating(s180), transmitting the digital image of the selected works to the appointed drawing frames among a plurality of registered electronic drawing frames through a wire or wireless network(s240), a CPU equipped in each electronic drawing frames automatically storing the received digital image in a storage of each electronic drawing frame(s260), and automatically displaying the stored works of art at an interval of preset time.

pp; 1 DwgNo 1/10

Title Terms: ELECTRONIC; DRAW; FRAME; MANAGE; METHOD; BASED

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-015/02

File Segment: EPI

15/5/4 (Item 4 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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014582863 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 2002-403567/200243
Related WPI Acc No: 2002-206435
XRPX Acc No: N02-316673

Automated message notification system for military and medical applications, has intention determination system to issue alert signal if execution of instruction creates potential conflict

Patent Assignee: HOWARD N (HOWA-I)

Inventor: HOWARD N

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Applicat No Date Kind Date Week US 20020032733 A1 20020314 US 2000221131 P 20000727 200243 B

US 2001912918 A 20010725

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 2000221131 P 20000727; US 2001912918 A 20010725

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

US 20020032733 A1 20 G06F-015/16 Provisional application US 2000221131 Abstract (Basic): US 20020032733 A1

NOVELTY - An input device receives the instruction entered by the user. A passive input device receives the instruction entered by another user. An intention determination system analyzes the received instructions to determine if execution of the instruction complies with the users' intent and issues an alert if execution of the instruction creates potential conflict.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

- (a) Intention determination system for analyzing instructions in automated message notification system;
- (b) User interface in automated message notification system USE - For notifying potential conflicts in instructions issued by users such as sales person or work crews, military personal for coordinating position and movement of satellites, aircraft, truck train, for planning and scheduling construction, engineering, manufacturing of products or for personal day planning applications. Also for medical applications such as surgeries, diagnostic procedures, treatment procedures, etc.

ADVANTAGE - Notifies users' of potential problems considering both the physical circumstances and users' intentions, thus reducing operational uncertainty.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows a block diagram of database management system.

pp; 20 DwgNo 4/9

Title Terms: AUTOMATIC; MESSAGE; NOTIFICATION; SYSTEM; MILITARY; MEDICAL; APPLY; INTENTIONAL; DETERMINE; SYSTEM; ISSUE; ALERT; SIGNAL; EXECUTE; INSTRUCTION; POTENTIAL; CONFLICT

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-015/16

File Segment: EPI

15/5/5 (Item 5 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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013483336 **Image available** WPI Acc No: 2000-655279/200063

XRPX Acc No: N00-485696

Asynchronous multimedia collaboration system for having messages with synchronized voice, graphics and mouse gestures has newsgroup server for posting titles of user contributions to asynchronous conference

Patent Assignee: SIEMENS CORP RES INC (SIEI) Inventor: PHAM L; PIZANO A; SU W V; YAN M

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date US 6105055 20000815 US 9842411 Α 19980313 200063 B Α

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 9842411 A 19980313

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

US 6105055 13 G06F-013/38 Α

Abstract (Basic): US 6105055 A

NOVELTY - A web server (28) is connected to a conference database (24) to access the dynamic annotation data. A message base is connected to a delayed conference manager (18) to store the user contribution data associated with an asynchronous conference. A newsgroup server (20) is connected to the message base to post titles of user contributions to the asynchronous conference.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The delayed conference manager provides the centralized management of asynchronous conferences and generates index data representing the structure and correspondence of the dynamic annotation data associated with user contributions to asynchronous conference. An e-mail server is connected to the delayed conference manager to receive e-mail messages having the dynamic annotation data of user contributions. The delayed conference manager downloads the e-mail messages from the e-mail server and extracts the dynamic annotation data. The conference database is connected to a delayed conference manager to store the index data and the extracted dynamic annotation data. An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for an asynchronous multimedia collaboration method.

USE - For producing messages containing synchronized voice, graphics and mouse gestures.

ADVANTAGE - Has ability to include video, graphics and other multimedia objects in addition to static images, graphics and text. Provides annotation editing and annotation-on-annotation capabilities needed to facilitate systematic exchange of dynamic annotations. Allows user to engage in computer-assisted collaborative task taking full advantage of expressive power of voice and data communications without having delay.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the block diagram of accessing existing contributions.

Delayed conference manager (18)

Newsgroup server (20)

Conference database (24)

Web server (28)

pp; 13 DwgNo 5/7

Title Terms: ASYNCHRONOUS; SYSTEM; MESSAGE; VOICE; GRAPHIC; MOUSE; SERVE;

POST; TITLE; USER; ASYNCHRONOUS; CONFER

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-013/38

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/17

File Segment: EPI

15/5/6 (Item 6 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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012745473 **Image available** WPI Acc No: 1999-551590/199946

XRPX Acc No: N99-408140

System for creation and management of electronic files in performance of jobs

Patent Assignee: A:\SCRIBES CORP (ASCR-N)

Inventor: ARCHBOLD J

Number of Countries: 082 Number of Patents: 004

Patent Family:

Applicat No Patent No Kind Kind Date Date Week WO 9946913 A1 19990916 WO 98US4928 Α 19980312 199946 AU 9865536 Α 19990927 AU 9865536 Α 19980312 200006 WO 98US4928 Α 19980312 EP 1086567 EP 98911618 19980312 A1 20010328 Α 200118 WO 98US4928 Α 19980312 NZ 511000 20021025 NZ 511000 Α 19980312 200274 WO 98US4928 Α 19980312

Priority Applications (No Type Date): WO 98US4928 A 19980312

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

WO 9946913 A1 E 105 H04M-001/64

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Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 97247271 A 19970911 Patent Details: Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes JP 11167596 A 17 G06F-017/60

Α

19980909

199935 B

A 19990622 JP 98255732

JP 11167596

Abstract (Basic): JP 11167596 A

NOVELTY - Sales ID is embedded in published work for each sale. Common terminal downloads published work during sale and information about location of published work as well as work ID in sales management server (200) is indicated. Based on location details, sales condition validity is judged. DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The work ID is embedded in published work beforehand. Based on work ID received from terminal, server accesses sales management database to determine service condition validity. INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following: sales condition validity checking system; recording medium which stores sales condition violation checking program

USE - In internet during sales for preventing unauthorized duplication, presentation of published work like moving image, digital image like photograph.

ADVANTAGE - As management **database** is searched by server based on details from common terminal, purchase terminal can be specified easily. This enables easy detection of sales condition violation leakage of warning information about sales condition. Violation is prevented since warning is provided both to server and purchase terminal. DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure is a block diagram of sales condition violation checking system. (200) Sales management server.

Dwg.1/7

Title Terms: SALE; CONDITION; VIOLATION; CHECK; PROCEDURE; WORK; DETAIL; LOCATE; WORK; WELL; WORK; ID; SALE; MANAGEMENT; SERVE; DETECT; SALE; CONDITION; VALID

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-017/60

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/00

File Segment: EPI

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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011631377 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 1998-048505/199805

XRPX Acc No: N98-038776

Task execution priority evaluation method for computer network - involves deciding gain of each decision subject by combination of action and using variation rule for expressing method of variation of decided gain

Patent Assignee: NIPPON TELEGRAPH & TELEPHONE CORP (NITE)

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week
JP 9297690 A 19971118 JP 96109724 A 19960430 199805 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 96109724 A 19960430

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

JP 9297690 A 8 G06F-009/46

Abstract (Basic): JP 9297690 A

The method is applied in a network of computers which are provided with an individual task which serves as a decision subject. Each decision subject has action selection subject has action selection parameter for deciding whether the data forwarding request/reference of a database for task execution is to be performed to other computers from one computer or the task is executed by the self. The gain of each decision subject is obtained based on the combination of action by each one.

A variation rule is used for expressing the method of variation of obtained gain. The combination of **action** for the state of the future and the gain relationship is calculated and extracted using the variation rule according to necessity. For the gain variation condition

of the future, the **action** which is to be employed, is evaluated from the obtained combination of **action**. The evaluation result is added to the gain of each decision subject in order to increase it, for **task** execution selection judgment.

ADVANTAGE - Evaluates decision within short time. Enables selection of action gained in long term manner.

Dwg.1/10

Title Terms: TASK; EXECUTE; PRIORITY; EVALUATE; METHOD; COMPUTER; NETWORK; DECIDE; GAIN; DECIDE; SUBJECT; COMBINATION; ACTION; VARIATION; RULE; EXPRESS; METHOD; VARIATION; DECIDE; GAIN

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-009/46

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/16

File Segment: EPI

15/5/9 (Item 9 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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010961448 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 1996-458397/199646

XRPX Acc No: N96-386367

Subterranean transmission line accident restoration work support system - in which retrieved information from database is input to man machine interface and output unit

Patent Assignee: KANSAI DENRYOKU KK (KANT) Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week
JP 6169528 A 19940614 JP 92320859 A 19921130 199646 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 92320859 A 19921130 Patent Details: Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

JP 6169528 A 11 H02J-003/00

Abstract (Basic): JP 6169528 A

The system has a database which includes a line information, a section information, an accident inspection, a measuring appts information, a construction contractor information, the restoration material, the staff and a tool arrangement information. The accident restoration work rule, the arrangement of work service interruption to the electric power supply place, the road occupancy, the construction staff, the material and the tools are requested during the occurrence of accident.

A judgment processing unit updates the details according to the input of an indication. A **database** interface is occessed and the information is retrieved from the **database**. The retrieved information is input to a man machine interface and an output unit.

ADVANTAGE - Generates stable **power** supply. Rectifies accidents quickly and correctly.

Dwg.1/8

Title Terms: SUBTERRANEAN; TRANSMISSION; LINE; ACCIDENT; RESTORATION; WORK; SUPPORT; SYSTEM; RETRIEVAL; INFORMATION; DATABASE; INPUT; MAN; MACHINE; INTERFACE; OUTPUT; UNIT

Index Terms/Additional Words: PERS ONAL COM; COMPUTER

Derwent Class: T01; X12

International Patent Class (Main): H02J-003/00

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/21; H02G-009/00

File Segment: EPI

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DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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010270839 **Image available**

WPI Acc No: 1995-172094/199523

XRPX Acc No: N95-134850

Task scheduling method for multiprocessor system - involves executing tasks in which prioritisation is determined by jobs with largest discrepancy between desired and actual levels of concurrent task activity

Patent Assignee: INT BUSINESS MACHINES CORP (IBMC); IBM CORP (IBMC)

Inventor: TUREK J J E; WOLF J L; YU P S

Number of Countries: 005 Number of Patents: 003

Patent Family:

Date Patent No Kind Applicat No Kind Date Week EP 652513 A1 19950510 EP 94116232 A 19941014 199523 B 19950725 US 93148108 Α 19931104 US 5437032 A US 94293257 19940819 Α 19950721 JP 94234702 Α 19940929 JP 7182185 Α 199538

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 93148108 A 19931104; US 94293257 A 19940819

Cited Patents: 03Jnl.Ref; EP 163853; EP 459931; GB 2194368; JP 62279433 Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

EP 652513 A1 E 17 G06F-009/46

Designated States (Regional): DE FR GB

US 5437032 A 11 G06F-009/46 Cont of application US 93148108

JP 7182185 A 14 G06F-009/46

Abstract (Basic): EP 652513 A

The method involves defining a desired level of concurrent task activity for each of job within a multitasking system. The actual level of concurrent task activity, for each of the jobs, is determined. Each job is prioritised for execution of awaiting tasks in accordance with the discrepancy between the desired level of concurrent task activity and the actual level of concurrent task activity for each of the jobs.

The awaiting tasks are scheduled for execution in accordance with the prioritisation of the jobs comprising the tasks, so that jobs are preferentially scheduled from jobs with the largest discrepancy between the desired and actual levels of concurrent task activity.

USE/ADVANTAGE - For e.g. parallel database queries. Job priorities are respected. Fair allocation of processing time to each job .

Dwg.2/4

Title Terms: TASK; SCHEDULE; METHOD; MULTIPROCESSOR; SYSTEM; EXECUTE; TASK; DETERMINE; JOB; DISCREPANCY; ACTUAL; LEVEL; CONCURRENT; TASK; ACTIVE

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-009/46

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/16

File Segment: EPI

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DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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009896714 **Image available** WPI Acc No: 1994-176630/199421

XRPX Acc No: N94-139148

Finite state machine processing method using action vectors - creating finite state machine for each resource type to govern activation and deactivation of the resource such that each finite state machine,

uniquely defines new state and action processing for each resource type Patent Assignee: INT BUSINESS MACHINES CORP (IBMC)

Inventor: MEDICKE J A; POSHAROW P

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week US 5317757 A 19940531 US 92834188 A 19920206 199421 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 92834188 A 19920206

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

US 5317757 A 34 G06F-009/30

Abstract (Basic): US 5317757 A

The common set of building block action modules perform specific tasks in the finite state machine and are strongly modular in structure. The set of building block action modules can be made up of modules for tasks generic to resource type and modules that are resource type independent. A finite state machine is created for each resource type to govern the steps of activation and deactivation of the resource. Each finite state machine, uniquely defines the new state and action processing for each resource type. To tie the building block action modules to each finite state machine, action vectors are created for each resource type.

The action vector correlates a particular action selection by the finite state machine to the dispatching of one or more building block action modules. An action vector can contain a plurality of elements. Each of these elements identifies an action module to which control is passed and a function request pointer. The function pointer identifies the specific function to be performed by the designated action module. The building block action modules are invoked in the order of occurrence of the elements in the action vector.

USE/ADVANTAGE - Data processing method for managing finite state machine, in e.g data communications system, I/O processes, database products, data processing system etc. Performs finite state machine processing in system implemented in minimum code space.

Dwg.1/15

Title Terms: FINITE; STATE; MACHINE; PROCESS; METHOD; ACTION; VECTOR; FINITE; STATE; MACHINE; RESOURCE; TYPE; GOVERN; ACTIVATE; DEACTIVATE; RESOURCE; FINITE; STATE; MACHINE; UNIQUE; DEFINE; NEW; STATE; ACTION; PROCESS; RESOURCE; TYPE

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-009/30

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/16

File Segment: EPI

15/5/12 (Item 12 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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009621112 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 1993-314661/199340

XRPX Acc No: N93-242280

Image storage device saving power for plate-making work - calculates position of instructed image or cut vector for input to rectangular frame, and stores frame size and calculated image information in database NoAbstract

Patent Assignee: DAINIPPON PRINTING CO LTD (NIPQ) Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 002

Patent Family:

Applicat No Kind Date Week Patent No Kind Date 19930903 JP 5225289 JP 9257427 Α 19920210 199340 B Α B2 20010423 JP 9257427 Α JP 3159506 19920210 200125

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 9257427 A 19920210

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

JP 5225289 A 7 G06F-015/60

JP 3159506 B2 7 G06T-011/60 Previous Publ. patent JP 5225289

Abstract (Basic): JP 5225289 A

Dwg.1/10

Title Terms: IMAGE; STORAGE; DEVICE; SAVE; POWER; PLATE; WORK; CALCULATE; POSITION; INSTRUCTION; IMAGE; CUT; VECTOR; INPUT; RECTANGLE;

FRAME; STORAGE; FRAME; SIZE; CALCULATE; IMAGE; INFORMATION; DATABASE; NOABSTRACT

Derwent Class: S06; T01; W02

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-015/60; G06T-011/60
International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-017/21; G06F-017/50;

H04N-001/387 File Segment: EPI

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DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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009610154

WPI Acc No: 1993-303702/199338 Related WPI Acc No: 1998-193016

XRPX Acc No: N93-233492

Monitoring handling of hazardous substances at facility - promotes compliance with applicable laws governing such substances by providing integrated approach for all management activities

Patent Assignee: ALTERNATIVE SYSTEMS INC (ALTE-N)

Inventor: CONNORS M D; GORDON E J; STURGEON D H; SZIKLAI A T; CONNERS M D

Number of Countries: 020 Number of Patents: 002

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week A1 19930916 WO 93US1976 WO 9318466 Α 19930301 199338 US 92844225 US 5664112 Α 19970902 Α 19920302 199741

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 92844225 A 19920302

Cited Patents: 3.Jnl.Ref

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

WO 9318466 A1 86 G06F-015/21

Designated States (National): CA JP KR

Designated States (Regional): AT BE CH DE DK ES FR GB GR IE IT LU MC NL PT SE

US 5664112 A 47 G06F-017/60

Abstract (Basic): WO 9318466 A

The appts. provides management procedures including form generation and compliance with reporting requirements for safe disposal of hazardous substances. The appts. includes six functional groupings and a database scheme (71). The six are a Hazardous Materials Index (11) which maintains a chemical location table for hazardous substances at a facility. Hazardous Materials Management (31) for tracking the movement and use of hazardous substances at the facility.

Human Resource Management (41) for monitoring exposure of each worker to specified hazardous substances. Hazardous Commitment Management (61) for monitoring compliance requirements. Hazardous Waste Management (51) for monitoring selected waste management and Hazardous Permit Management (21) for monitoring approvals, renewals and expirations of regulatory agency permits allowing storage, usage or emission of specified hazardous substances.

ADVANTAGE - One integrated system provides six functional groupings and relational database scheme that integrates any number of these gps. and allows them to share or exchange information on hazardous substances for in-house and regulatory compliance related functions.

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Dwg.1/36

Title Terms: MONITOR; HANDLE; HAZARD; SUBSTANCE; FACILITY; PROMOTE; COMPLIANT; APPLY; LAW; GOVERN; SUBSTANCE; INTEGRATE; APPROACH; MANAGEMENT; ACTIVE

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Main): G06F-015/21; G06F-017/60

File Segment: EPI

DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX (c) 2003 Thomson Derwent. All rts. reserv.

009560052 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 1993-253599/199332

XRAM Acc No: C93-113174 XRPX Acc No: N93-194796

Periodical survey work control system for nuclear power plant - which evaluates work from simulator, based on references from data base which then outputs operation commands

Patent Assignee: TOSHIBA KK (TOKE)

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week
JP 5172983 A 19930713 JP 91343486 A 19911225 199332 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 91343486 A 19911225 Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

JP 5172983 A 9 G21C-017/00

Abstract (Basic): JP 5172983 A

System has the periodical inspection schedule work files, work record part recording condition of periodical inspection work carrying out. A simulator assumes the change of plant when carrying out the periodical inspection schedule works. The work evaluation part evaluates the possibility of carrying out the work by the results of assumption of the simulator based on the evaluation reference in the data base.

The work execution and monitoring part outputs operation commands to be carried out to workers . It outputs automatic operation commands to the plant to operate directly and monitors the plant condition continuously. When the evaluation is not satisfactory it seeks counter operation to cope with to perform. The main machine interface inputs output of directions of the work , plant condition and condition of the work .

 ${\tt USE/ADVANTAGE}$ — The system can perform the inspection assuredly and it can cope with any trouble quickly. It can improve the safety and soundness of the plant in inspection.

Dwg.1/1

Title Terms: PERIOD; SURVEYING; WORK; CONTROL; SYSTEM; NUCLEAR; POWER; PLANT; EVALUATE; WORK; SIMULATE; BASED; REFERENCE; DATA; BASE; OUTPUT; OPERATE; COMMAND

Derwent Class: K06; T01; X14

International Patent Class (Main): G21C-017/00

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/52

File Segment: CPI; EPI

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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009486350 **Image available** WPI Acc No: 1993-179885/199322

XRPX Acc No: N93-138186

Utility- power line control system - determines mains power interruption section for work with reference to line job data searched from data file NoAbstract

Patent Assignee: MEIDENSHA CORP (MEID)

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 002

Patent Family:

Applicat No Kind Patent No Kind Date Date Week JP 5111138 19930430 JP 91265143 Α 19911015 199322 Α B2 20010827 JP 91265143 JP 3203704 Α 19911015 200152

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 91265143 A 19911015 Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

JP 5111138 A 6 H02H-003/04

JP 3203704 B2 6 H02H-003/04 Previous Publ. patent JP 5111138

Abstract (Basic): JP 5111138 A

Dwg.1/4

Title Terms: UTILISE; POWER; LINE; CONTROL; SYSTEM; DETERMINE; MAINS; POWER; INTERRUPT; SECTION; WORK; REFERENCE; LINE; JOB; DATA; SEARCH;

DATA; FILE; NOABSTRACT
Derwent Class: T01; X12; X13

International Patent Class (Main): H02H-003/04

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/40; G06F-017/30

File Segment: EPI

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009048093 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 1992-175464/199221

XRAM Acc No: C92-080531 XRPX Acc No: N92-132293

System for producing staff schedules - based on a function of available resources, employee skill, availability and priority

Patent Assignee: MRS FIELDS INC (MRSF-N)
Inventor: BLACKLEY T; FIELDS R K; QUINN P R
Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week US 5111391 A 19920505 US 89417643 A 19891005 199221 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 89417643 A 19891005

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

US 5111391 A 25

Abstract (Basic): US 5111391 A

The staff scheduling data processing system schedules staff and management personnel at locations remote from the central location by applying central location policy to remote location data to ensure the optimum staff schedule for each remote site. The system included a database for storing and retrieving information. It includes central office policy, applicable labour requirements, tasks that need to be performed, skill levels required to perform tasks and resources that may confine or facilitate the scheduling of a task at a given time. It also includes relationships between tasks that will alter the placement or movement of a task on a schedule, employees with associated skill levels and priorities and availability, the employee 's time that it takes to work on a particular task, and the positive and negative slide in relation to the task 's completion time by the employee.

Upon request to create a schedule for a given day for a remote location, the system selects all the **tasks** to be performed on that day, and using historical data about the location, tha **tasks**, the skill required to complete the **tasks**, the available resources, **employee** availability, and central office policy, creates an optimised display of the required schedules.

ADVANTAGE - Creates optimised staff schedule.

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Dwg.4/4

Title Terms: SYSTEM; PRODUCE; STAFF; SCHEDULE; BASED; FUNCTION; AVAILABLE; RESOURCE; EMPLOY; SKILL; AVAILABLE; PRIORITY

Derwent Class: T01

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/21

File Segment: EPI

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008946120
             **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 1992-073389/199210
XRPX Acc No: N92-055189
  Damage loss claim processing appts. with activity logging - creates file
  for each case from initial transaction record consisting of
  keyboard-accessed preformated screens displayed locally
Patent Assignee: ITT CORP (INTT ); HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE CO (HART-N);
  INT TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH CORP (INTT )
Inventor: BARR R; BEAUCHESNE L; BENSON R; BURDICK M; DUFFY J; FLETCHER P;
  FRITZ D; GADDAS J R; GIRARDINI J; GUILMETTE R; HUGHES D; LAYTUBBY L; LONG
  J; MACHNICH C; MONTRESOR B; MOORE S; PATCH T; POLLNOW R; PRIGNON G;
  RETARTHA A; ROUND M J; ROUND M; MAYTUBBY L
Number of Countries: 015 Number of Patents: 004
Patent Family:
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EP 472786
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Priority Applications (No Type Date): EP 90309383 A 19900828
Cited Patents: 4.Jnl.Ref; EP 269875; US 4503499
Patent Details:
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                       G06F-017/60
                                     Based on patent EP 472786
                       G06F-015/403
CA 2024320
              Α
Abstract (Basic): EP 472786 A
        The local data processing station (32) comprising printers (48, 52)
    and display I/O equipment (40) is linked to local and remote display
    stations (36, 34) and to a remote host computer (62) via telephone
    lines (56, 58, 64). Information received (in a notice of loss) is
    stored in a disc (42). A claims file is created for review on the
    supervisor's screen (70). The claim handler accesses various functions
    (diary, activity log, payment transaction etc.) through the keyboard
    (68). Printout is managed through a print queue.
         ADVANTAGE - Work in process is tracked, response to telephone
    enquires is accelerated and paperwork reduced. (81pp Dwg.No.5/8)
Title Terms: DAMAGE; LOSS; CLAIM; PROCESS; APPARATUS; ACTIVE; LOG; FILE;
  CASE; INITIAL; TRANSACTION; RECORD; CONSIST; KEYBOARD; ACCESS; SCREEN;
  DISPLAY; LOCAL
Derwent Class: T01
International Patent Class (Main): G06F-015/403; G06F-017/60
International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/21; G06F-015/40
File Segment: EPI
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DIALOG(R) File 350: Derwent WPIX

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008842680 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 1991-346696/199147

XRAM Acc No: C91-149458 XRPX Acc No: N91-265451

Computer management of waste water collection system - using data base storing system parameters to determine a surface hydraulic grade for a portion of the system

Patent Assignee: PATE SYSTEMS INC (PATE-N)

Inventor: MULLINAX R L; PATE G E; ROSS J E; SUTTON A C

Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week
US 5063505 A 19911105 US 89368046 A 19890616 199147 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 89368046 A 19890616

Abstract (Basic): US 5063505 A

Computer-accessible database is established to include waste water collection system parameters including location of sewer pipes, manholes, elevations of pipes and manholes, pipe and manhole dias., and predicted customer waste water input to the system along the pipe. An area of the waste water collection system is selected for analysis and database portions related to the area selected are selectively reviewed and the parameters modified. At least one waste water flow for a portion of the system under analysis is determined and at least one surface hydraulic grade for a portion of the pipe system under analysis is determined and compared against a predetermined criteria.

USE/ADVANTAGE - In the management for planning and control of a public utility waste water collection system. Allows evaluation of waste water collection system needs and effectiveness of proposed improvements to solve system problems, to better direct and control consultants work efforts, manage expenditure, and predict needs to meet changing regulatory requirements.

Dwg.1/20

Title Terms: COMPUTER; MANAGEMENT; WASTE; WATER; COLLECT; SYSTEM; DATA; BASE; STORAGE; SYSTEM; PARAMETER; DETERMINE; SURFACE; HYDRAULIC; GRADE; PORTION; SYSTEM

Derwent Class: D15; T01

International Patent Class (Additional): G06F-015/20

File Segment: CPI; EPI

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008198789 **Image available**
WPI Acc No: 1990-085790/199012

XRPX Acc No: N90-066175

Vehicle navigator with landmark synchronisation - navigates in one dimensions only, using distance, between landmarks, at which turning is detected to synchronise position

Patent Assignee: ZEEVI E I (ZEEV-I)

Inventor: ZEEVL E I

Number of Countries: 003 Number of Patents: 003

Patent Family:

Patent No Date Applicat No Kind Kind Date Week GB 2222897 19900321 GB 888287 Α 19880408 199012 B Α US 4878170 US 88169645 19891031 19880317 199020 Α Α CA 1296412 С 19920225 199214

Priority Applications (No Type Date): US 88169645 A 19880317; US 8727292 A 19870317

Patent Details:

Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes

GB 2222897 A 141

Abstract (Basic): GB 2222897 A

A preselected route is established in terms of a sequence data and a processor computes sequence **action data based** on lineal distances between landmarks, such as junctions. It is necessary to store all geographic data about a region to be traversed during a journey and further computation can be extremely efficient without reliance at any time on detection of direction with respect to magnetic north or other fixed, remote reference.

All needed information is incorporated into data related only to distance travelled by the vehicle between landmarks and **movement** around an approached landmark. The system **works** on the assumption

that the vehicle moves in one dimension between set landmarks so that route information can be reduced to a sequence of indicators. The movements around landmarks or more specifically junctions or turns where deviations are expected from a straight line constant velocity path are used to synchronise vehicle location relative to the landmark. The accuracy of map distance between landmarks is assumed within an acceptable error so that synchronisation can be obtained within a window distance during which the system seeks synchronisation.

ADVANTAGE - Avoids need to continuously measure position, without sacrificing accuracy.

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Title Terms: VEHICLE; NAVIGATION; LANDMARK; SYNCHRONISATION; ONE; DIMENSION; DISTANCE; LANDMARK; TURN; DETECT; SYNCHRONISATION; POSITION

Derwent Class: S02; T01; W06; X22

International Patent Class (Additional): G015-011/04: G06F-015/50

International Patent Class (Additional): G01S-011/04; G06F-015/50

File Segment: EPI

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007404394

WPI Acc No: 1988-038329/198806

XRAM Acc No: C88-016942 XRPX Acc No: N88-028942

Assisting inspection work of e.g. atomic power plant - in which confirmation of plant states, instructions on inspection process and inspection results are input as data in inspection program

Patent Assignee: NIPPON GENSHIRYOKU JIGYO KK (NIGJ); TOSHIBA KK (TOKE) Number of Countries: 001 Number of Patents: 001

Patent Family:

Patent No Kind Date Applicat No Kind Date Week
JP 62208106 A 19870912 JP 8650490 A 19860310 198806 B

Priority Applications (No Type Date): JP 8650490 A 19860310 Patent Details: Patent No Kind Lan Pg Main IPC Filing Notes JP 62208106 A 3

Abstract (Basic): JP 62208106 A

In periodical inspection of plant, e.g., atomic **power** plant or thermal **power** plant, information on plant state, inspection procedure, criterion, which are set during inspection of plant, are recorded as data in **data base**. Confirmation of plant state during inspection **work**, instruction on inspection procedure, and inspection result are input as data in inspection assisting program. In the inspection assisting program, from input data during inspection **work**, and data recorded in the **data base**, the input data is evaluated to assist inspection **work**.

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{USE/ADVANTAGE}}$ - Shortens periodical inspection and improves working efficiency of plant.

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Title Terms: ASSIST; INSPECT; WORK; ATOMIC; POWER; PLANT; CONFIRM;
PLANT; STATE; INSTRUCTION; INSPECT; PROCESS; INSPECT; RESULT; INPUT; DATA; INSPECT; PROGRAM

Derwent Class: K05; T06; X14

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Robot installation for large objects in automated workshop - has programming centre and supervisory station for tooling control

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Abstract (Basic): ES 8601039 A

A rolling bridge runs along parallel rails with its beam supporting a carriage, from which a hook depends for attachment of a tool carrier. The robot joined arm is fixed to this carrier and equipped with a tool such as a welding torch. Orientation of the carrier is controlled by the gyroscopic stabiliser of the hook support.

The programming centre incorporates five databases for geometry, tooling, working standards, sequences, and statistical management with a data bank of gp. working sequences for transmission to the supervisory station.

USE/ADVANTAGE - Esp. in shipbuilding, quality and speed of work are comparable with those of system designed for small movements of tool, while allowing rapid movement over greater distances by carrier beam. (First major country equivalent to ES8601039) (38pp Dwg.No.0/12)

Title Terms: ROBOT; INSTALLATION; OBJECT; AUTOMATIC; WORKSHOP; PROGRAM; CENTRE; SUPERVISION; STATION; TOOLING; CONTROL

Derwent Class: P56; P62; Q24; T06; X25

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POWER SUPPLY SYSTEM AND SYSTEM RELATING TO SAME, POWER SUPPLY OPERATION METHOD AND METHOD RELATING TO SAME, COMPUTER-READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM WITH PROGRAM IMPLEMENTING SAME METHOD RECORDED THEREON

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INTL CLASS: G06F-017/60; G01R-011/57; G01R-021/00; G06F-015/02;

H02J-003/00

ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a **power** supply system which enables a customer to select electric **power** generated with green energy.

SOLUTION: The power supply system 1 is equipped with a notification control means 12 which notifies electric power users of a power generation kind and its selling price by using a communication line 8, a power distribution control means 14 which receives a power source kind and its amount of consumption or a booking indication for the day and time of use sent from an electric power user 5 through the communication line and instructs power generating facilities 7 by power sources to supply electric power by the amount of consumption through the communication line, a use result database 16 wherein power source kinds and the amount of consumption by electric power users are recorded, and a billing office work control means 18 which calculates electric power use charges by the electric power users from the power supply kinds and the amount of consumption in a certain period recorded in the use result database and charges the electric power users.

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WORK SUPPORTING SYSTEM

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APPL. NO.: 10-128633 [JP 98128633] FILED: May 12, 1998 (19980512)

INTL CLASS: B23Q-041/08; G05B-015/02; G05B-023/02; G06F-015/16

ABSTRACT

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To eliminate labor required by workers for work indication information at each working table and improve working efficiency, in a work supporting system for the working line of an FA manufacturing site to progress a work for a plurality of the working tables in succession of a work line while a single worker is moving.

SOLUTION: In this work supporting system, only by selecting and assigning a scenario file starting from a first working table 2-1 of a working line 1, according to the scenario file set at each of working tables 2-1, 2-2, 2-3..., work indication information stored at a data base 6 on the server 5 side is displayed, in order, on the clients 3-1, 3-2, 3-3, ... of the working table while a worker in moving.

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JOB EXECUTION CONTROL SYSTEM

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(Japan)

APPL. NO.: 07-090483 [JP 9590483] FILED: April 17, 1995 (19950417)

INTL CLASS: [6] G06F-015/00

JAPIO CLASS: 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To provide a **power** saving **job** execution control system capable of automatically executing the **job** start processing of an electronic computer with decision processing in a **job** request slip as a momentum by electronic decision at the decision processing of a **job** request slip and automatically receiving also an execution result.

CONSTITUTION: A job execution control system is mainly constituted of an I/O part 3, an electronic slip system 5, a data base 6, a final certification detecting part 7, and a job execution result circulation input part 19 in a job execution control system 1 and a job starting processing part 12 and a job execution result processing part 16 in an electronic computer 10, a job is automatically started by the computer 10 based upon the final decision of a job request slip circulated in the system 1 and a job execution result is also circulated by the system 5 in the system 1.

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INTERVAL BETWEEN CHARACTER-ADJUSTING METHOD

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APPL. NO.: 05-287479 [JP 93287479]
FILED: October 21, 1993 (19931021)
INTL CLASS: [6] B41B-027/00; G06F-015/25

JAPIO CLASS: 29.4 (PRECISION INSTRUMENTS -- Business Machines); 42.5

(ELECTRONICS -- Equipment); 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING --

Computer Applications)

JAPIO KEYWORD: R131 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Microcomputers &

Microprocessers); R138 (APPLIED ELECTRONICS -- Vertical Magnetic & Photomagnetic Recording); R139 (INFORMATION

PROCESSING -- Word Processors)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To improve the **work** efficiency by a method wherein the intervals in the character array direction, among intervals between virtual bodies and character faces, are increased/decreased by a spacing rate for character intervals which is input, and the spacing amount in the character array direction is calculated, and the distances between virtual bodies are adjusted, and respective characters are arranged in the character array direction in order.

CONSTITUTION: A file name of a character-string data file which becomes a character interval adjusting objective is input, and the written in a character array storage memory. By the written character array data, each character data is read from a font storage unit, and is written in a

character data expansion memory. At this time, each character is arranged under a condition in which virtual bodies are in contact. Then, a spacing rate for characters is obtained, and stored in a setting memory. By this spacing rate, a character spacing parameter which is the spacing amount for each character in the character array direction is calculated. Each character is shifted based on the character-string data and character spacing parameter, and all character data is written in the character data expansion memory, and output. A worker inputs a new spacing rate by a judgement that a character interval adjustment is required, and this motion is repeated, and the process is completed by the a judgement that the character interval adjustment is not required.

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CONTROLLING METHOD AND DEVICE FOR SCALE OF COMPONENT MOUNTING APPARATUS

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04-232165 [JP 92232165] August 31, 1992 (19920831) APPL. NO.: FILED:

INTL CLASS: [5] H05K-013/04; B23P-021/00; G01B-011/00; G06F-015/62

JAPIO CLASS: 42.1 (ELECTRONICS -- Electronic Components); 25.2 (MACHINE TOOLS -- Cutting & Grinding); 29.1 (PRECISION INSTRUMENTS --

Photography & Cinematography); 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING

-- Computer Applications); 46.1 (INSTRUMENTATION --

Measurement)

JAPIO KEYWORD:R098 (ELECTRONIC MATERIALS -- Charge Transfer Elements, CCD &

BBD)

Section: E, Section No. 1569, Vol. 18, No. 340, Pg. 89, June JOURNAL:

27, 1994 (19940627)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To enable a corresponding relation between a system of coordinates of a drive system and another system of coordinates on an image processing picture plane to be accurately obtained even if a head unit is limited in a direction by a method wherein a specific processing is carried moving out.

CONSTITUTION: A component position detecting means 41 detects the center position and turning angle of a chip component 39 based on the image of the chip component 39 picked up by a camera 31 after the chip component 39 is sucked by a suction nozzle 20, and at controlling scale data, the position work is detected, and its coordinates of position on an image processing picture plane is obtained. A distance measuring means 42 measures a prescribed distance when a work is rotated. At controlling scale data, an instruction computation means 44 moves works to a first point and a second point by the movement of a head unit 5 and rotates the at prescribed spots. A measuring means 55 measures the coordinates of the first and the second point on a system of coordinates of a drive system, and a calculation means 56 calculates scale data based on the measured values obtained by the measuring means 55, the component position detecting means 41, and the distance measuring means 42.

15/5/27 (Item 27 from file: 347)

DIALOG(R) File 347: JAPIO

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04354633 **Image available** WORKING ENVIRONMENT DISPLAY

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APPL. NO.: 04-156434 [JP 92156434] FILED: June 16, 1992 (19920616) INTL CLASS: [5] G01D-021/00; G06F-015/21

JAPIO CLASS: 46.1 (INSTRUMENTATION -- Measurement); 23.1 (ATOMIC POWER

-- General); 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer

Applications

JAPIO KEYWORD: R002 (LASERS)

JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 1720, Vol. 18, No. 187, Pg. 61, March

30, 1994 (19940330)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To permit time saving for grasping working environment and manpower saving by visually displaying with a computer the environment of an equipment to be repaired and around the equipment when planning repairing work.

CONSTITUTION: The title consists of a data storage part 1 that is provided with a data base 11 where equipment configuration data in a plant, visual data of each equipment and visual data of equipment surroundings are registered interrelatedly, an input part 2 composed of a keyboard 21 and a mouse 22 to specify an optional data, a retrieving processing part 3 to retrieve an optional data, and a display part 4 composed of a display processing part 41 and a CRT monitor 42. When an equipment to be repaired is specified, visual data of the equipment to be repaired and the equipment surroundings can be prepared for a planner of repairing works, thereby realizing no entry of the repairing work planner into a plant and saving time and manpower.

15/5/28 (Item 28 from file: 347)

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CONTROL METHOD FOR FLEXIBLE PRODUCTION SYSTEM

PUB. NO.: 05-253874 [JP 5253874 A] PUBLISHED: October 05, 1993 (19931005)

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APPL. NO.: 04-051292 [JP 9251292] FILED: March 10, 1992 (19920310)

INTL CLASS: [5] B25J-013/00; B23Q-015/00; G06F-015/21

JAPIO CLASS: 26.9 (TRANSPORTATION -- Other); 25.2 (MACHINE TOOLS --

Cutting & Grinding); 36.1 (LABOR SAVING DEVICES -- Industrial

Robots); 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer

Applications)

JOURNAL: Section: M, Section No. 1538, Vol. 18, No. 9, Pg. 83, January

10, 1994 (19940110)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To originate work environment based on data out of a data base, compare it with actual work environment, and thereby enable a production system to be operated autonomously.

CONSTITUTION: The system is made up of a robot 4 which works on a work object 2 in a work environment 1, a scenery input means 8 inputting the work environment 1, a data base construction section 14, a data base housing section 15, a scenery originating section 16, a scenery understanding section 17, and an assembled cell control means 13 including

a device action commanding section 18. Work environment originated based on the aforesaid means is compared with actual work environment, and consequently a production system can be made self-controlled, because it is possible to change the data base in such a way that scenery by a work plan agrees with scenery by actual work environment, to change the position of the robot, or to change the position and direction of the scenery input means.

15/5/29 (Item 29 from file: 347)

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Image available 04120135 DESIGN METHOD FOR ASSEMBLY LINE

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03-277472 [JP 91277472] APPL. NO.: FILED: October 24, 1991 (19911024)

INTL CLASS: [5] B23P-021/00; G06F-015/21; G06F-015/60

25.2 (MACHINE TOOLS -- Cutting & Grinding); 45.4 (INFORMATION JAPIO CLASS:

PROCESSING -- Computer Applications)
Section: M, Section No. 1469, Vol. 17, No. 469, Pg. 89, JOURNAL:

August 26, 1993 (19930826)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To provide a method for designing an assembly line in a plant workers and machines exist in an intermixed manner, easily and uniformly in all the aspects even by a designer having little knowhow and experience.

CONSTITUTION: A computer system is provided with central processing unit 2, a screen display unit 1, an input unit 3, an external storage 5, and an interface between the external storage 5 and the central processing unit 2. In the external storage 5 provided are a device data file 6 which contains information on names of devices, names of manufacturers and prices of devices, a worker data file 7 which contains information on names and capabilities of workers , and a process data file 8 which stores information on names of works , names of parts, dimensions of parts, weights of parts, and presence or absence of accuracy and positioning criteria necessary for work .

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DIALOG(R) File 347: JAPIO

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FINANCING APPLICATION ACCEPTANCE NEGOTIATION REGISTERING SYSTEM

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INTL CLASS: [5] G06F-015/22; G06F-015/30

JAPIO CLASS: 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications)

JAPIO KEYWORD: R087 (PRECISION MACHINES -- Automatic Banking)

Section: P, Section No. 1534, Vol. 17, No. 239, Pg. 137, May JOURNAL:

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To attain the manpower saving and efficiency of a bank financing acceptance work, and to reduce a human error.

CONSTITUTION: An application registering processing part 1 operates a financing application detail record preparation (1a), and an application acceptance number adoption (1b), and registers it in a data base 4. A transaction situation inquiring processing part 2 reads out each inquiry chart indicating a transaction situation from the data base 4, and operates a document edition (2a). A loan consultation paper preparing processing part 3 operates the document edition (3a) of a loan consultation paper based on the data of the inquiry chart. A consultation registering processing part 6 operates a consultation number adoption (6a), consultation master preparation (6b), and application acceptance detail update (6c) to the data base 4, and operates the document edition. A document preparing processing part 5 accepts a document outputting indication from the transaction situation inquiring processing part, loan consultation paper preparing processing part, and consultation registering processing part, and outputs each kind of document.

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03846728 **Image available**
DESIGN SUPPORTING DEVICE

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APPL. NO.: 03-066863 [JP 9166863] FILED: March 29, 1991 (19910329)

INTL CLASS: [5] G06F-009/44; G06F-003/16; G06F-015/60

JAPIO CLASS: 45.1 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Arithmetic Sequence Units);

45.3 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Input Output Units); 45.4

(INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications)

JAPIO KEYWORD: R060 (MACHINERY -- Automatic Design); R108 (INFORMATION

PROCESSING -- Speech Recognition & Synthesis)

JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 1454, Vol. 16, No. 555, Pg. 86,

November 25, 1992 (19921125) ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To obtain a design supporting device which realizes the **manpower** saving and the automation of the selection of parts to be used and can be easily interfaced by a speech recognition function capable of intellectual

interaction by natural language.

CONSTITUTION: A data inference device 2 connected to a data processor 1 in which an expert system consisting of a knowledge data base and an inference function part is constructed and a speech recognition device as the interface function of this expert system are connected to each other.

Manpower required for design work can be drastically saved. Besides, a designer can design by the voice input/out of the natural language, and need not learn a command prepared by a system, and can easily interface it.

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DRAWING DISPLAY DEVICE

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INTL CLASS: [5] G06F-015/60

JAPIO CLASS: 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications)

JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 1352, Vol. 16, No. 201, Pg. 130, May

14, 1992 (19920514)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To display the drawing of a necessary area at a high speed by extracting only vector information on one image plane which is transferred and generating a partial roadway drawing, and displaying this partial roadway drawing on the same image plane together with the geographic drawing of one image plane one over the other.

CONSTITUTION: When a user indicates desired facility drawing data to be displayed from a work station 3, a server 2 reads power distribution facility drawing data consisting of the geographic drawing and roadway drawing which are indicated out of a drawing data base 1 and transfers the data to the work station 3 through an LAN network(LAN) 4, and the work station 3 displays the geographic drawing, extracts data on an electric pole, adjacent electric poles, and electric conductors between the electric poles, and lead-in data that the user displays and indicates from the vector information on the transferred roadway drawing to generate a partial roadway drawing of the displayed and indicated area, and displays the drawing on the displayed geographic drawing on the CRT. Consequently, the drawings can be displayed at a high speed.

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REMOTE BATCH JOB APPLICATION SYSTEM AND BATCH JOB SERVER

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APPL. NO.: 02-082681 [JP 9082681] FILED: March 29, 1990 (19900329)

INTL CLASS: [5] G06F-013/00; G06F-015/00; H04L-012/40

JAPIO CLASS: 45.2 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Memory Units); 44.3

(COMMUNICATION -- Telegraphy); 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING

-- Computer Applications)

JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 1326, Vol. 16, No. 109, Pg. 94, March

17, 1992 (19920317)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To attain the automatic application of a batch **job** by securing the synchronization between the end of transfer of a file and the application of a **job** in a remote **job** application system.

CONSTITUTION: A data file needed for execution of a job is automatically trans ferred to a host computer HCP 4 from an engineering work station EWS or a personal computer PC 1 prior to the application of the job. This file transfer action is monitored. Then a batch job is applied synchronously with the end of transfer of the data file. Thus a file is transferred to the HPC 4 if the HCP 4 has no data file necessary for the job. Then the batch job is applied after the end of transfer of the file.

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BATCH GENERATION SYSTEM FOR CAD DIMENSION LINE

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INTL CLASS: [5] G06F-015/60

JAPIO CLASS: 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications)

JAPIO KEYWORD: R060 (MACHINERY -- Automatic Design)

JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 1214, Vol. 15, No. 230, Pg. 151, June

12, 1991 (19910612)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To extremely shorten the time required for generation of the dimension lines by collating the CAD data with a dimension line generation pattern and generating en bloc the dimension lines necessary for the CAD data.

CONSTITUTION: The 1st and 2nd data input means 101 and 102 are provided together with an action control means 103, a CAD data production means 104, a work center control means 105, a display means 106, a dimension line generation pattern storage file 107, a collation means 108, a data conversion means 109, and a dimensional line generation data file 110. In such a constitution, the CAD data is collated with the dimension line production pattern. Then the dimension lines necessary for the CAD data are generated en bloc. As a result, the dimension lines can be surely obtained in a short time.

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WORK PLAN GENERATION SUPPORTING SYSTEM

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APPL. NO.: 63-078900 [JP 8878900] FILED: March 31, 1988 (19880331)

INTL CLASS: [4] G06F-015/60; G05B-015/02; G06F-015/20

JAPIO CLASS: 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications); 22.3

(MACHINERY -- Control & Regulation)

JOURNAL: Section: P, Section No. 984, Vol. 13, No. 590, Pg. 44,

December 26, 1989 (19891226)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To reduce labor of a worker, and also, to generate a progress schedule having no contradiction by providing an interference deciding means, deciding an interference in a system and constructing a routing which has avoided the interference.

CONSTITUTION: Shape data of an apparatus is generated as a model of each apparatus by a shape model generating part 22, and by a whole model constructing part 23, a whole model is generated by combining each model,

and stored in a data file 2. When a work is started, work procedure data is called successively from the file 2, and a work route is read. Subsequently, an object apparatus model is moved in accordance with the work procedure, and based on data which has been processed by a moving simulation executing part 24, whether an interference exists or not is decided by an interference decision processing part 25. If the interference exists, a moving data processing part 26 changes moving data, and the same operation is repeated. Next, by data which have been calculated by a moving time calculation processing part 27 and a work time calculation processing part 4, a progress schedule is generated by a work process constructing part 28, and outputted from an output data processing part 5. In such a way, labor of a worker is reduced, and also, the progress schedule having no contradiction is obtained.

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02953678 **Image available**
SCHEDULE CONTROL SUPPORTING SYSTEM

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ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To reduce labor of a worker, and also, to generate a progress schedule having no contradiction by providing an interference deciding means, deciding an interference against a moving work and constructing a routing which has avoided the interference.

CONSTITUTION: A worker executes an extraction f(sub 1) of a work item, and executes an hourly study f(sub 2) and a study f(sub 3) of a procedure with regard to the work item. Simultaneously, apparatus shape data f(sub 5) required for a work is generated, and stored as work management data in a **data** file 2. In this state, when the work is started, the contents are read out successively from the file 2. When the work is a work , an interference decision processing part 22 decides moving whether an interference exists or not, and if the interference exists, a moving data processing part 26 changes moving data. Subsequently, the changed data is calculated by a work time calculation processing part 4, and based on the work management data which has been read out of the file 2, and the start and end time of the work, a work item list and a progress schedule are outputted from an output data processing part 5. In such a way, labor of a worker is reduced, and also, the progress schedule having no contradiction can be realized.

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02935902 **Image available**
PROCESS CONTROLLER

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-- Cutting & Grinding); 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING --

Computer Applications)

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December 12, 1989 (19891212) ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To evaluate and study a shape in conformity with a work plan and to support a plan and a design by providing a file conversion processing part for executing a file conversion of process control data and three-dimensional shape model data.

CONSTITUTION: Input data is inputted from a computer terminal 40 of a schedule controller. These input data are stored in a process control data file part 43 and a three-dimensional shape model data file part 44 which are generated in a computer body 42. Subsequently, by a processing instruction 41e at the time of an input, data is processed by a file conversion processing part 45, an an output is executed. As for data output examples 46, a display 47 of a state that a confirmation can be executed three-dimensionally by a vision by designating the time, a display 48 of a moving work for bringing a work state to simulation actually by a three-dimensional model, a display 49 of a moving route for displaying a route of a moving object, and an interference point display 50 for listing up a result of interference calculation at the time of movement can be outputted.

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02893667 **Image available**

WORK INDICATING DEVICE

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JAPIO CLASS: 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications); 43.3

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Microprocessers)

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ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To present super information to improve the reliability of a board product by converting wiring connection information of the board product to digital information to automatically indicate the \mbox{work} .

CONSTITUTION: Wiring connection information of the board product is transferred from a CAD 1 of design to a data processor 3. Transferred information is edited for individual weak and strong electric circuits and is classified, edited, and processed for individual implement units in such order that the work is easy for a worker . Wiring connection information

is temporarily held as a **data base** 4 for the purpose of coping with change, addition, deletion, or the like of information. All of classified and edited wiring connection information is stored in a memory 5, and stored information is read out from the memory 5 by a controller 6, and results are successively displayed on a compact-sized display device 7 to indicate the wiring connection **work**. The memory is freely attachable to and detachable from a **work** indicating device main body to easily cope with another **work**, and this system is flexible with respect to operation.

15/5/39 (Item 39 from file: 347)

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02837065 **Image available**
SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING INFORMATION

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JAPIO CLASS: 45.4 (INFORMATION PROCESSING -- Computer Applications); 28.2

(SANITATION -- Medical); 29.4 (PRECISION INSTRUMENTS --

Business Machines)

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28, 1989 (19890828)

ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To save to labor of an input work by extracting information, which relate to a cost to correspond to data to be transmitted from a sub-computer, with a main computer, transmitting the information and adding them to a data file with the sub-computer.

CONSTITUTION: A main computer 1 equips a data file 11 to include the information, which relate to the cost of a medical treatment action, which takes charge in a medical work. Plural sub-computers 2 input the data, which specify the arbitrary medical treatment action, and transmit these specified data to the main computer 1. The computer 1 extracts the information to relate to the cost in the data base to correspond to the data, which are transmitted from the computers 2, and the information are transmitted to the computers 2. The computers 2 receive the extracted data, which are transmitted, and add the data to a data file 21 to be held by the computers 2. Thus, the labor of the data input work can be saved to the specified arbitrary medical treatment action.

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02484122 **Image available**
DRAWING METHOD FOR SHEET DEVELOPMENT

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JAPIO KEYWORD: R063 (MACHINERY -- Numerical Control Machine Tools, NC)
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September 13, 1988 (19880913) ABSTRACT

PURPOSE: To easily input necessary data and commands and to obtain developments and plot sizes in a short time even by an unskilled person by performing a **bending work** simulation by inputting pieces of drawing and **bending** information and drawing and indicating the developments after a workable condition is established.

CONSTITUTION: Various necessary data bases are previously stored in a memory 2. As for the data bases, material characteristic data groups such as a tensile strength, yield strength, and thickness of each material type and a working machine characteristics groups are previously inputted by use of a keyboard 3. Then, pieces of drawing and bending information are inputted by the keyboard 3, a CPU part 1 calculates a necessary press force, compares the force with a press force of a bending machine, and indicates possibility of a bending work on a display 4. If the bending work is possible by a bending work simulation, data such as a shape and size for each face as a stereo structure are inputted by the keyboard 3, a complete development containing a bending allowance is drawn, and is indicated on the display 4.

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- 1/TI/1 (Item 1 from file: 348)
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- A method of forming thin defect-free monocrystalline strips of semiconductor materials on insulators.
- Verfahren zum Herstellen von dunnen, defektfreien monokristallinen Streifen aus halbleitenden Materialien auf Isolatoren.
- Methode pour former des minces bandes monocristallines sans defauts de materiaux semi-conducteurs sur des isolants.
- 1/TI/2 (Item 2 from file: 348)
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- A method of forming thin, defect-free, monocrystalline layers of semiconductor materials on insulators.
- Methode, um eine auf einem Isolator befindliche, dunne, defektfreie, monokristalline, aus halbleitenden Materialien bestehende Schicht herzustellen.
- Une methode pour former une couche monocristalline fine et sans defaut de materiaux semi-conducteurs sur des isolants.
- 1/TI/3 (Item 1 from file: 350)
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Preparation of tetrabromobisphenol-A used as flame retardant, involves displacing liquid bromine by sodium bromide or hydrobromic acid as brominating agent, and utilizing sodium bromate as oxidizing or brominating agent

1/TI/4 (Item 2 from file: 350)
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Metal silicide transistors - obtd.by forming silicon@-metal silicide-silicon@ hetero-structure, bonding to insulating substrate, masking, selectively etching, etc.

1/TI/5 (Item 3 from file: 350)
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Forming strips of mono semiconductor material on substrate - by scanning the strips across an angled zone melting beam in a direction parallel to the strips

1/TI/6 (Item 4 from file: 350)
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Thin defect free mono crystalline layer of semiconductor material - formed on insulators by laser zone heating with controlled scanning speed